

BIBLE SCHOLARS of the area will have to be called in for consultation, no doubt to help figure this one which we lifted from an exchange:

"Daddy?"

"Well, my son?"

"Are there any Christian fleas?"

"Whatever put that idea into your head?"

"The minister read it today from the Bible . . . the wicked flee when no man pursueth."

"No, no. That means that the wicked flee."

"Oh, then, is there a wicked woman flee?"

"No, no! It means that the wicked fleas . . . runs away."

"Why do they run away?"

"Who?"

"The wicked fleas."

"No, no! Don't you see? The wicked man runs away when no man's after him."

"Is there a wicked woman after him?"

"Look, son . . . here's two bits . . . why don't you go to a movie?"

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COMMON SENSE is found in the breezy little odes submitted by the traffic safety division of the Texas Department of Public Safety. A typical version reads:

In this world of turmoil and strife, What is a minute compared to a life?

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CARL ANDERSON, lawyer of Sweetwater, who spoke at the Tuesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Lions Club, was spinning a yarn about an old fellow who was riding a crowded bus and was forced to stand up for a long time because there were no vacant seats.

A woman had sitting in a seat next to her a big female dog.

"Lady, how about letting me use the seat where your dog is?" urged the foot-weary traveler.

"I've paid a fare for my dog and she's going to ride in the seat," replied the positive woman.

"Well, how about my sitting in the seat and holding your dog?" he suggested.

But he got the same sort of curt reply.

Finally when he fagged out, he picked up the dog and threw it out a window then occupied the seat. An Englishman, who was riding in the bus across the aisle, said to the fellow:

"You Americans do the funniest things. You threw the wrong bitch out the window, my dear fellow."

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ONLY REASON J. E. Patterson, new president of Hamlin Rotary Club, can make this column two weeks in a row is because we owe an apology to him or to Hamlin Lions Club.

A squib about the popular insurance man last week in this column declared that he had just returned from the Lions Club international convention. While some Lions declare he would have been a better man if he had gone there, Pat claims he must remain loyal to the club that footed his expense bill.

Pat says he can't quite decide whether to sue The Herald for \$10,000 or \$100,000 for libel.

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A YOUNG TAXI DRIVER fell in love with a very wealthy young lady. They decided to be married, but the girl's parents said no. They said that she must marry someone more of her own social and financial position. But the young lady was firm, and the parents finally consented.

The wedding took place, and made a very small splash in the society columns.

But that man's name has been in the papers again recently. He is Dr. Jonas A. Salk, perfecter of the now famous polio vaccine.

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NOTES OF A DOCTOR out at Hamlin Memorial Hospital showed up a clever piece of deduction recently, according to a report coming to The Herald.

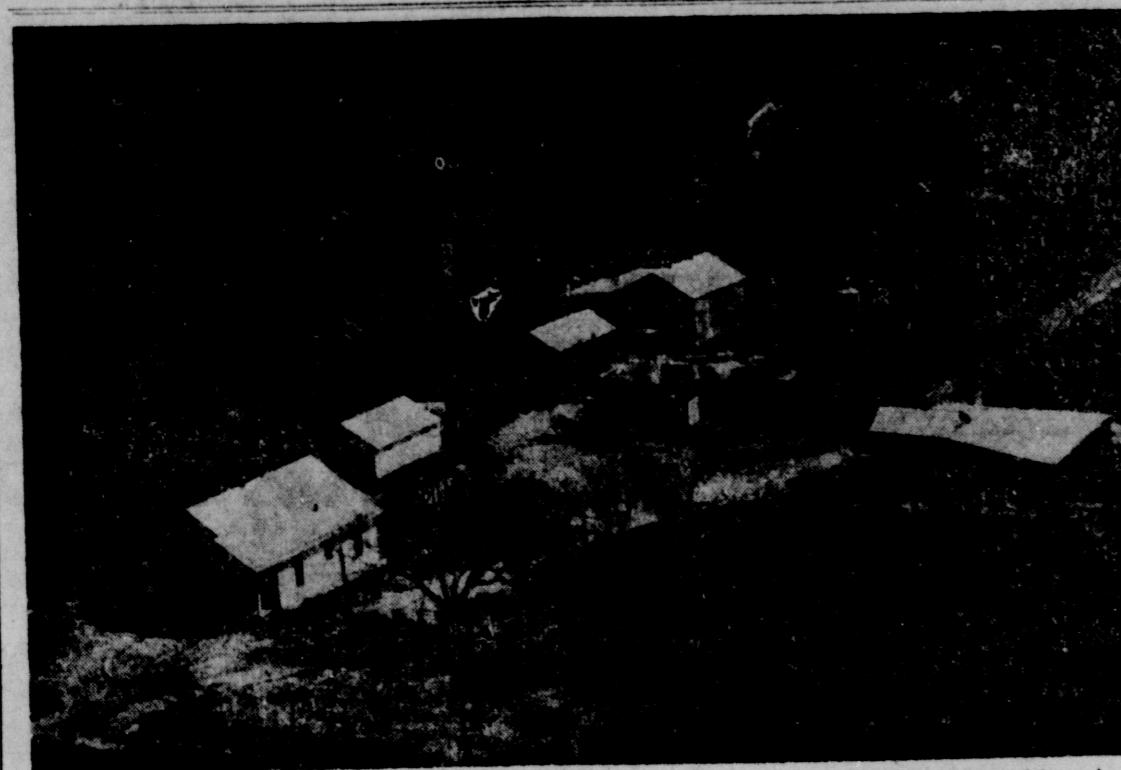
The doctor's new secretary was puzzled by an entry in the doctor's notes on an emergency case:

"Shot in the lumbar region," it read.

After a moment, she brightened and, in the interest of clarity, typed into the record: "Shot in the woods."

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A Chicago man who beat his wife every day for a week has promised the judge that he will not do it again. It doesn't hurt any man to make these little sacrifices now and then.—Springfield Union.



ANOTHER IN THE SERIES of Mystery Farm Pictures being run by The Herald is shown above. First person, other than the owner and his family, to correctly identify the view will be given a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper. In order to give readers of the paper living on the rural routes an equal chance at identifying, no answers will be accepted before 1:00 p. m. Friday, either in person or telephoning to the paper office. The original aerial picture will be presented to the owner by The Herald.

Water Put in Swimming Pool As Call for Funds Emphasized

Payment of Past Pledges and Other Gifts Sought



Phone Company Renews Request For Rate Increases

Preliminary hearings for a rate increase for the Hamlin exchange of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company were heard Tuesday night by members of the Hamlin City Council when telephone company representatives presented a brief. Action on the application for increases was deferred for further study by members of the council.

Representing the telephone concern were Regional Manager Bill Blakeny of Abilene and District Manager George Beard of Sweetwater.

The increase in telephone service were requested as a follow-up to previous requests when partial increases were granted at Hamlin.

Increases sought in Hamlin are raises from \$8.25 to \$10 per month for business telephones; \$4.50 to \$5 for one-party residence telephones; and \$3.50 to \$4 for two-party lines. These rates, explained the Southwestern representatives, are in line with rates charged or being sought in cities of comparable size to Hamlin.

Briefs presented by the phone concern declared that a return of only \$661 was realized in 1954 from an investment of \$330,000 in the Hamlin exchange. This figure only .03 per cent.

CHILDEREN BURNED.

Two small boys, children of occupants of a tourist court cabin at the H. E. Walton Hamlin Courts on South Central Avenue, sustained minor burns in a fire that did minor damage Thursday morning. Firemen answered the call to the courts, where they extinguished a tubful of clothes that ignited from a gasoline can. Damage was estimated at \$50.

INDUCTED IN SERVICE.

William H. Hallmark of Hamlin was among area draftees who were inducted into the armed services last Wednesday at the Abilene induction station.

Lots to Talk Over for Brother and Sister Who Hadn't Seen Each Other in 45 Years

Happy reunion of a brother and sister who had not seen each other in 45 years was being enjoyed this week by a couple of youngsters in Hamlin.

Their reliving some of their childhood days of another century was consuming a lot of their time. And after 45 years of separation, there is bound to be a lot of things to talk over!

The reunionists are Mrs. Annie L. Nall, 82-year-old Hamlin girl, and Eugene Wade, age 80, of Anniston, Alabama.

But the present reunion in Hamlin is only the beginning of reunions. Mrs. Nall has another brother, Morgan Wade, also of Anniston, who will be coming to see her soon whom she has not seen in 47 years.

Seals Leave Sunday For Lions Convention

Dr. William S. Seals, president-elect of Hamlin Lions Club, and wife left last Thursday for Atlantic City, New Jersey, where they are attending the annual convention of Lions International.

The convention opened Tuesday and will continue through Saturday.

The Seals drove through to the East Coast in their car. They will return home next week.



THIS QUARTET of Senior Hamlin Boy Scouts was due to leave Thursday from Abilene, accompanied by Roy Dunlap, city engineer, as adult leader, along with some 25 other boys and men of the Chisholm Trail Council for Northern Minnesota. From there they will make a canoe and portage trip into Canada for several days of camping in nature's wide open spaces. They are (reading left to right): Dee Prewit, Loyce Ray Fowler, Joe Stephens and Don Adair. They are members of Explorer post No. 43, sponsored by the Hamlin Rotary Club. Herald One-Minute Polaroid Photo.

HAMLIN, TEXAS, JUNE 24 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIVE

New \$11,000 Fire Truck Bought for City Tuesday

More Rains First of Week Bring Year's Fall to 11.13 Inches

Hamlin section continues to be a mighty wet area—with a total of 5.80 inches having been registered by the government rain gauge at the city pump station for the month of June.

Monday was the ninth day of the month to register rainfall, which is really something unusual for this region. And, although the rains have caused farmers a lot of extra planting, you will hear no gripes about the wet weather.

By days, June rainfall has been recorded as follows: June 2, .59 of an inch; 6, .13; 8, .96; 9, .23; 15, 1.42; 16, .24; 17, .02; 19, trace; 20, .21.

Total rainfall for the year is 13.13 inches, which a little more than two inches above the 11-inch average for the period, according to government records.

After last week's torrential rains of Tuesday and Wednesday, that were accompanied by high winds and hail that did considerable crop and property damage, farmers had just gotten back into their fields in many areas to replant and cultivate when this week's deluge came.

After an elaborate electrical storm that came out of the north Sunday night about 11:00 o'clock, the rain clouds dumped the bulk of their load in Hamlin and to the north and northwest. Nienda, just six miles south of town, received only half an inch.

Hamlin's two west lakes continued to run over from Sunday night's rain. The South Lake, Hamlin's biggest, caught very little water, and is less than half full, according to Bill Rountree, city water superintendent.

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CATCHING UP ON THEIR GOSSIP for the past 45 years have been Mrs. Annie L. Nall, 82-year-old Hamlin resident (left), and her brother, Eugene Wade, 80-year-old citizen of Anniston, Alabama, who had not seen each other for nearly half a century until this week when Wade came to visit his sister. Another brother, whom Mrs. Nall has not seen for 47 years, also of Anniston, is due to come for a visit soon with the Hamlin woman.

Wheat Growers to Vote on Supports

Wheat growers of the Hamlin area will vote in the wheat referendum Saturday at the Farmers Cooperative Gin in Southeast Hamlin.

Chairman W. H. Cook of the Jones County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee has designated six voting places in Jones County for the voting.

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Wheat growers have been notified of their wheat acreage allotments, Cook advises. All wheat producers who will have more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest in 1956 are eligible to vote.

The marketing quota program does not affect those who will have 15 acres or less of wheat for harvest in 1956.

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RECALLING
Other Years

★ Being news items taken
 from old files of Your
 Home Town Newspaper,
 The Herald . . .

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Going on in the Hamlin com-
 munity 20 years ago included the
 following, reproduced from the
 issue of The Hamlin Herald dated
 June 21, 1935:

Hudson's Super Service was
 advertising Firestone tires at the
 following prices: Size 4.50x21,
 \$7.75; 6.00x16, \$11.95.

Complimenting her sister-in-
 law, Mrs. O. D. Roland of Fort Arthur,
 Mrs. Henry Albritton entertained
 Friday with games of bridge.
 Attending were the hon-
 ore and her friend, Mrs. Nathan
 Waldrop of Abilene, and Mmes.
 G. R. Bennett, W. S. Pike Jr.,
 W. L. Boyd, W. A. Albritton, John
 Ed Day, Milton Wilson, B. L.
 Jones, A. E. Pardue, Q. Martin,
 C. C. Prater, Bowen Pope, Bill
 Rountree, Maurice Smith, Frank
 Waggoner, R. B. Wiar, Frank
 Williams, Lowell Ballew, Clinton
 Barrow, Newman Bender, B. M.
 Brundage, J. E. Bury, H. O. Cas-
 sile, J. C. Culbertson, Joe Culbert-
 son, J. W. Ezell, C. C. Jones,
 O. L. Henry, W. F. Johnson,
 W. M. Braymer, George Gray of
 Sweetwater, J. H. Bridener of
 Baltimore, Maryland, J. F. Taylor,
 J. E. Moody, A. D. Ensey, Dick
 Moore, R. H. McCurdy, R. W.
 McCurdy and Alfred Harden; and
 Misses Marie Pope, Janie Mae
 Johnson, Annie Laurie Johnson
 and Margaret Boyd of Sweet-
 water.

Refrigerators, air conditioners, televisions, wash-
 ing machines, irons and fans had been pur-
 chased in Hamlin. What if all the automo-
 biles that are on the streets of the community
 had been sold by Hamlin dealers! What if all the
 professional services, like dentistry, medical
 services, photography, printing, appli-
 ance servicing, etc. had been secured in Ham-
 lin! What if all the furniture, jewelry, rugs,
 lumber, paint, dry goods, notions, drugs, cos-
 metics, tires and tubes, groceries and feed
 had been supplied by local dealers!

Oh, how we could build a better community,
 and all of us would feel the benefits, if we
 resolved now to do something about this sit-
 uation.

But don't think for a moment that the wage
 earner or salaried person is entirely to blame.
 Too many of our merchants are wearing
 clothes that came from Abilene, Fort Worth
 and Dallas. Too many are driving cars that
 did not originate with a local dealer. Too
 many have furniture in their homes that was
 not purchased at home. Then, how in the
 bounds of reason can we expect merchants
 and other citizens to purchase our own mer-
 chandise and services?

Pretty plain speakin' out in meetin', isn't it?

But it's the truth, and we all know it! Let's
 change our ways and be proud to be able to
 say: "This is my town because I believe in it.

It believe in its future because I invest my
 earnings in it in order to help to be a better
 town. I appreciate what others are doing to
 provide schools, churches and a good town in
 which to rear my family, and I will support
 those who support the community!"

TEN YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the
 Hamlin community 10 years ago
 included the following, which are
 reproduced from the issue of The
 Hamlin Herald dated June 22, 1945:

The happy face on an old-timer,
 Hallie T. Bedford, is seen back
 in Hamlin this week after having
 spent the past winter and spring at
 Roswell, New Mexico. He and
 Dan J. Payne are running the oil
 mill out there.

Private First Class Walter S.
 Acklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F.
 Acklin of Hamlin, is in a Philip-
 pines hospital recovering from
 wounds sustained in fighting on
 Okinawa against the Japs, details
 of which are not available. Young
 Acklin has been very active in
 military action on both Leyte and
 Okinawa.

Staff Sergeant Earl Smith re-
 turned this week after his re-
 lease from nearly a year in a
 German prison camp. He was
 shot down when his plane was fly-
 ing his third mission over Ger-
 many, being reported missing last
 June 29. On last July 11 he was
 reported being held as a prisoner.

Private J. D. Hayes, son of Mr.
 and Mrs. R. C. Hayes of Hamlin,
 has been reported by the War
 Department as having died in a
 Japanese prison camp on June 9.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

Happenings in the Hamlin com-
 munity five years ago deemed
 newsworthy included the follow-
 ing, reprinted from the issue of
 The Hamlin Herald dated June 23,
 1950:

Preparations are being made in
 Hamlin for an x-ray unit to come
 here to give free chest tests that
 will determine the presence of
 tuberculosis. Committees from the
 Rotary and Lions Clubs are
 handling details of the engage-
 ment.

Free city mail delivery for the
 City of Hamlin definitely has been
 assured by the Post Office De-
 partment, with deliveries to begin
 on July 1, according to Post-
 master Perry Sparks. W. L.
 Hunter Jr. and Roy Mauldin have
 been selected as initial carriers
 for the two city routes.

All foundation steel to be used in
 erection of the new stands at
 Pied Piper football stadium has
 been laid on the ground, and con-
 struction is slated to begin within
 a few days, according to school
 officials.

Jessie Myers, daughter of Mr.
 and Mrs. R. M. Myers of Sylves-
 ter, became the bride of Eual
 Frank Lawson of Albuquerque,
 New Mexico, Monday evening at
 the Sylvester Baptist Church.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Items of general interest in the
 Hamlin community a year ago
 included the following, which are
 reprinted from the issue of The
 Hamlin Herald dated June 25,
 1954:

Plans for a city street paving
 program, that have been talked
 for several months, have been re-
 vived, according to Mayor Willard
 Jones, who says that negotiations
 with a paving firm are being
 conducted by city officials.

Scores of former residents of
 the Nienda community, south of
 Hamlin, are expected to attend
 the homecoming, which has been
 set for Sunday, July 4.

Cotton insects in the Hamlin
 area are posing a serious threat
 to the crop, according to County
 Agent Bill Lehmburg.

LET'S GET TO THE REAL SEAT OF POOR BUSINESS

Most of Hamlin's merchants have experienced a diminished business during the past several months, and some of them are trying to console themselves that it is all because of the drouth. But if they will do a little analyzing and double-checking the bulk of their business losses are due to a far more vital reason than that—it is the lack of citizens of the community remaining loyal to their home merchant, and the merchants failing to patronize one another.

And right here is where some critics will declare that The Herald has started meddling when it brings up the subject of trading with one another. But we challenge any and all comers to prove that our theory is not sound and practical.

Let us put it bluntly: If Hamlin area people spent their money in Hamlin, the city would enjoy prosperity unbounded, and there would be no howl of poor business. The merchants could make money; they could add more employees; they could pay more taxes; the churches and schools could be better supported; the cycle of increased business would affect everybody living within the perimeter of the trade area. With the increase in business that Hamlin community people alone could create, there would be no hard times.

Just for illustration, without having any particular person or class in mind: What if all the clothes our people have were bought in Hamlin! We daresay the volume during the past year would run into six figures. What if all the cars people are driving had been purchased in Hamlin! What if all the re-

The War Is Over

From Japan comes word that an official Japanese expedition is headed for the jungles of New Guinea. The purpose of the mission is to inform several thousand Japanese soldiers that Japan has lost the war.

It is estimated that these soldiers, the remainder of 12,000 Japanese troops who fought in this section of New Guinea, are still hiding out, waiting for the day when Tojo's troops return and retake the island for the emperor.

Thus, for 10 years, these Japanese have been holding out, fighting for a lost cause. What spurred the dispatch of the expeditionary force to the jungles of New Guinea was the appearance of a few Japanese recently in a settlement in New Guinea. These men had been hiding out since 1945 and did not know that the United States had won the war.

We think it is appropriate that these men be brought back to Japan now, since Japan is currently beginning to rearm. They must be getting home and into training. Irony of ironies!

Discourteous Friends Need

The friend who tells us our new necktie is beautiful when he thinks it's terrible; who says our speech was "marvelous" when he actually slept through it; and who in every way is so kind that he never tells us the truth, may win our love, but he never helps us any.

If a man is going to grow, he needs someone to coach him on the sidelines, someone to act as a mirror in which he can see himself as others see him. Without someone to tell him the truth about his mannerisms, his habits and hit mistakes, he may go marching straight to disaster with the cheers of his courteous friends ringing in his ears.

To improve yourself, get a close friend to check you. Just so there will not be any hard feelings, you check him in return. Thus you will eliminate the bunk and hokum and really and constructively help each other.

Kindness puts us to sleep with the ether of self-satisfaction. Criticism may be hard medicine to take, but it achieves the opposite result. It wakes a man up.

Freedom Is Wonderful

When I was a boy in Carolina, I was cured forever of caging wild things. Not content with hearing mocking birds sing from the cedars, I determined to cage a young one, and thus have a young musician all my own.

On his second day in the cage, I saw his mother fly to him with food in her bill. This attention pleased me, for surely the mother knew how to feed her child better than I did. The following morning my pathetic little captive was dead. When I recounted this experience to Arthur Wayne, the renowned ornithologist, he said:

"A mother mocking bird, finding her young in a cage, will sometimes take it poison berries. She thinks it better for one she loves to die rather than to live in captivity."—Archibald Rutledge in Good Housekeeping.

Editorial of the Week

PRESERVING THE OLD WEST

To build a Cowboy Hall of Fame beyond the borders of Texas is like erecting a monument to the area in Nebraska—a splendid thought confused in geography. But the gates are wired-up between forgotten years and the plush-covered doors of a pampered generation, while history stands bewildered and lost with the maps it made.

A futile motive is doomed to perish in bronze and stone as it competes with a more sublime and fitting laureation. Texas sky covers a cowboy's hall of fame, and yellow buttercups shaking the dew from their petals at dawn carpet the long corridors. The same stars lonely, riders watched in solitude are fixed in the majestic ceiling, and fragrance of wild plum blossoms follows the swift passing of spring. The wind, waving ragged slickers in the night sky, turns phantom herds back to mesquite flats, and each tranquil down hangs like a painting on the eternal wall.

Mirages dance the heated plains, and twilight has kept its antelion intact for the chained albums of splendor in the cowboy's memorial.

It is not of consequence that a cenotaph be erected in a country where the smoke from his camp-fires may have drifted.—Douglas Meador in The Matador Tribune.

GOOD REPORTING.

Reporter—"What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who had fight at the baseball game last night?"

Friend—"Why, just say that the bleachers went wild."

DEFINITION.

Old-Timer: One who remem-
 bers when a baby-sitter was the
 child's mother.

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 is 17 feet long—by far the largest in its
 field, both inside and outside. That means
 you enjoy the smooth, steady ride only a truly
 big car, like Plymouth, can give you; as well
 as more room, more comfort, inside.

Most beautiful car of the low-price 3!
 Practically everyone rates Plymouth first for
 beauty. *Charm*, a leading fashion magazine,
 selected Plymouth "beauty buy of the year."

Thousands picked Plymouth best-looking of
 "all 3" low-price cars in a nation-wide survey.

Most economical car of the low-price 3!
 When it comes to powerplants, there's really
 no match for either of Plymouth's 2 great
 engines. Try the 6-cylinder PowerFlow 117,
 the all-time champ for economy, reliability
 and performance. Or try the high-flying
 Hy-Fire V-8—with the highest standard
 horsepower of the low-price 3.

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Hog Prices Hit Highest Level Monday Since September, 1954, at Fort Worth

Hog prices opened 25 to 50 cents higher at Fort Worth Monday and topped at \$21.25 to \$21.50, the best price there since September, 1954, according to Ted Gouley, special market reporter of The Herald, in his weekly release. His release continues: Sows were steady at \$16 down.

Some Corn Belt markets reported as high as 40 to 50 per cent of their hog receipts were sows on Monday. Indicates the Corn Belt farmers are getting things squared away to devote more time to field work.

This may also indicate that fed cattle offerings will taper off a little at those points. Grain-fed cattle have been under heavy pressure due to heavy movements to market since the first of the year. Prices on fed cattle are 20 per cent lower now than on January 1.

Shippers and independent packers, as well as the major packers, bore down on cow prices at Fort Worth in Monday's trade, and prices were sharply lower. Slaughter calves also met sharply lower bids in most cases. It was the first serious break in prices on these classes in several weeks.

Fed steers and yearlings were scarce and steady. Two loads of good supplementally fed steers weighing 1,145 pounds from Roscoe Edwards of Ringgold were on the market. These sold at \$21 and were one of the first ship-

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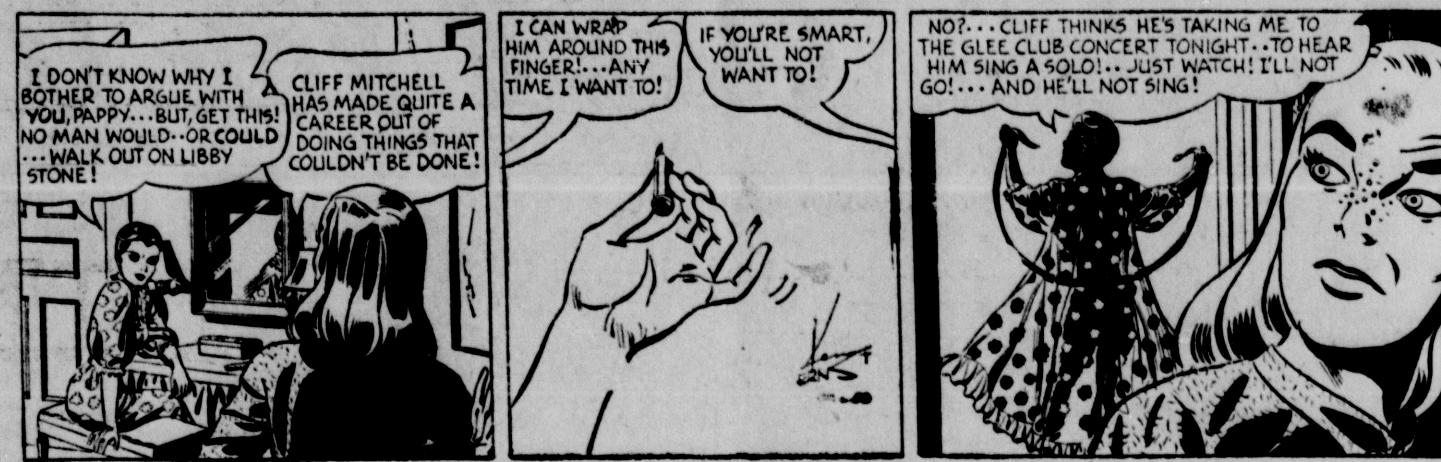
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It acts through a woman's sympathetic nervous system to relieve distress of those awful "heat waves"!

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KERRY DRAKE



Loafing Hens Should Be Culled from Flock As Saver of Feed Bill

A hen that lays 250 eggs a year eats only 25 to 26 pounds of feed more than one that doesn't lay an egg.

That is evidence enough why producers cannot afford to feed a non-producer, says E. O. Parnell, professor of poultry husbandry at Texas A. & M. College, in a release to The Herald for poultry raisers of the Hamlin area.

A four-pound non-laying hen will eat about 56 pounds of feed a year, while the same bird that lays 250 eggs yearly will consume about 81 pounds.

Feed costs make up 60 per cent or more of the total cost of producing eggs, says Parnell. By culling closely, producers can cut feed costs per dozen eggs and help maintain their profits, he adds.

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Go along the roost at night with a flashlight and check the health signs of hens in production. Look for enlarged combs and wattles with a bright red color. They feel soft and waxy. The hen's abdomen should be enlarged, but still soft and pliable. And her pubic bones should be wide apart, with the vent, loose, moist and dilated. A good layer has loose, soft and pliable skin.

If a bird fails to meet these standards, put her in a crate and examine her again in the daylight. If she doesn't pass the test, cull her.

A little prominence does not go to the head of a really prominent person.

Damping-Off Cases Reported in Cotton in Area, Says Agent

There have been several reports of damping-off or sore shin in seedling cotton in Jones County, according to Bill Lehmburg, county agent. This seedling disease may occur before or after emergence of the seedling.

The captain suggests, he said "that you read what's going on in the world today, and then let us know if you want to be rescued."

Damage is most severe under cold, damp conditions which slow down germination and seedling growth.

Symptoms of damping-off are pale, unhealthy, slow growing plants. Reddish-brown, sunken spots near or below the ground line are typical of the disease.

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The Herald's Page for Women



New Officers for Hamlin Eastern Star Chapter Installed in Tuesday Rites

Mrs. Kelly Scott was installed as worthy matron, and Tom Davis as worthy patron of the Hamlin Chapter No. 460, Order of the Eastern Star, in ceremonies at the Masonic lodge hall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Nola Claxton of Abilene was installing officers; Mrs. John W. Mayfield, installing chaplain; Mrs. Joe Lee of Fort Worth, installing marshal; Mrs. Dick Maberry, installing organist; Mrs. Mattie Nunn of Abilene, installing secretary.

Other officers installed were: Mrs. Joe League, associate matron; Hershel Phillips, associate patron; Mrs. A. Hudson, treasurer; Mrs. Clarence Hyer, associate conductress; Mrs. Floyd Briscoe, chaplain; Mrs. W. W. Wallace, marshal; Mrs. Charlie Abbott, organist; Mrs. Don Locke, Adah; Mrs. O. H. Wilbanks, Ruth; Mrs. Kenneth Seifres, Esther; Mrs. Hershel Phillips, Martha; Mrs. Hill Smith Electa; Florine Corbett, warden; Howard Nall, secretary.

Two officers, the conductress, Mrs. Roy Watson, and secretary, Mrs. Ira Clements, were unable to be at the installation.

Mrs. Tom Davis was appointed registrar, and Charlie Abbott, was appointed song leader.

The worthy matron's chosen colors, pink and white, were used in decorations of the chapter room, and the dining hall. Her motto, "Love and Hospitality," and the names, "Jewel" and "Tom" were cut in large pink letters and with the Eastern Star emblem on a white background made an attractive decoration on the wall above the worthy matron's station.



DRESS OF 1925 MAKES COME BACK—Mrs. George Survey of San Antonio (black dress) came to Mrs. Miriam A. (Ma) Ferguson's eightieth birthday party in Austin in the same dress, shoes and accessories that she wore in 1925 to attend Mrs. Ferguson's inaugural ball. Mrs. Ferguson (second from right) the first woman ever elected as governor of Texas, looks at Governor Allan Shivers (right) as he asks Mrs. Survey about the dress.

Melba Jo Ueckert, Bride-Elect, Honored At Wednesday Tea

Melba Jo Ueckert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Ueckert of Nienda, and bride-elect of Wendell Rankins, was honored at a gift tea Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Williams.

Other hostesses were Mrs. W. E. Gardner, Mrs. W. C. Jackson, Mrs. C. E. Gregory, Mrs. John Scarborough, Mrs. Roy Williams, Mrs. John Brown Sr., Mrs. Jackie Williams, Pat Cole, Mrs. Fred Vaughn, Betty Cole, Mrs. Donley Williams and Mrs. O. H. Weaver.

Decorations carried out the honoree's chosen colors of pink and white. The serving table was covered with ecru lace over pink and centered with a bride cake carrying pink carnations. The bride was surrounded by white hearts filled with pink carnations flanked by four tall tapers in crystal holders. Appointments were in crystal and silvers. Mrs. John Brown Sr. and Mrs. Donley Williams assisted in serving.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Jack Williams and introduced to the honoree, her mother and the mother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Fred Vaughn and Mrs. Jackie Williams displayed the gifts, and Mrs. W. C. Jackson directed the guests into the dining room.

Pat Cole registered the following guests: Mrs. Douglas Rankin, W. D. Rankin, E. W. Frost, R. D. Rankin, F. W. P. Jr., L. B. Jones, Woodrow Dutton, J. E. Dutton, Jet Milsap, George Rodgers, J. J. Wilemon, J. E. Brown, Sam Hodges, Noel Weaver, H. E. Cole, Park Wheat, Jack Kelly, John R. Brown Jr., Phil Hazel, J. C. Hodnett, J. E. McCoy and Kay, Elmer Joiner, A. G. Miller, Troy Austin, Elmer Freeman, Rex Doshier and Floyd Winslett; Misses Clarice Brown, Lucy Carothers, Evelyn Kidwell, Della Hamlin, Charlene Joiner, Barbara Ann Freeman and Betty Cole.

Betty Cole said the good-byes.

The honoree was dressed in a pink street length dress with white accessories.

Wedding for the young couple will be Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the Nienda Baptist Church.

Dixie Little Marries Tom Holman Boyd

Dixie Little became the bride of Tom Holman Boyd Friday, June 10 at 5:00 p. m. in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church at Vernon. Rev. J. B. North, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Little of Vernon. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Boyd of McCauley.

After a wedding trip to Colorado, the newlyweds will be at home at 1312 Twenty-Ninth Street in Snyder, where he will be engaged in the trucking business.

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and mingle with the flock?
Or do you stay at home to
Criticize and knock?

Do you take an active part
To help God's work along?
Or are you satisfied—
To only just belong?

Do you ever visit a person
Who's in sin?
Or leave the work to just
A few and talk about the
clique?

Think this over, members!
For you know the right from
wrong;
Are you an active member—
Or do you just belong?

By Mrs. Harold Lee
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Preaching at 11:00 A. M.
Training Union at 6:45 P. M.
Preaching at 8:00 P. M.

**North Central Ave.
Baptist Church**
Woodrow McHugh, Pastor

Hamlin Club Women to Cooperate in "Call for the Living" Safety Program

Hamlin women's clubs will have a part in a national movement by women's organizations to emphasize a safe driving campaign among the people of the United States.

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. C. Aubrey Stewart of Fort Worth, state chairman of safety, have announced completion of plans with the presidents of 1,200 clubs of TFCW arranging for 100 per cent participation with the General Federation of Women's Clubs project, "Call for the Living," which is a telephone crusade beginning on June 20 and ending June 30 for safe driving for the Fourth of July holiday period.

This project was instituted by Mrs. J. Howard Hodge of Midland, safety chairman for GFWC, and Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman of Jerseyville, Illinois, GFWC president.

Church bells will signal the 5,500,200 members of the General Federation to the telephone to ring for a new freedom—freedom from fear of death on the highway—by making four random calls to deliver a safety message stressing care and courtesy in driving. The men who declared the independence of the United States on July 4, 1776, noted the unalienable rights—life,

liberty and the pursuit of happiness, and charged that with prudence these rights would be preserved.

All civic, educational, religious and patriotic groups have been invited to participate by making special announcements at their meetings. Prudent driving, a safety check on the vehicle at the time the trip is planned will reduce the death and injury toll. Chain calls to the living may help to prevent the casualty report to families and loved ones.

VISIT IN HAMILIN.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Griffin and daughter, Ann, of Frost visited Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green. Mrs. Griffin is a sister of Mrs. Green.

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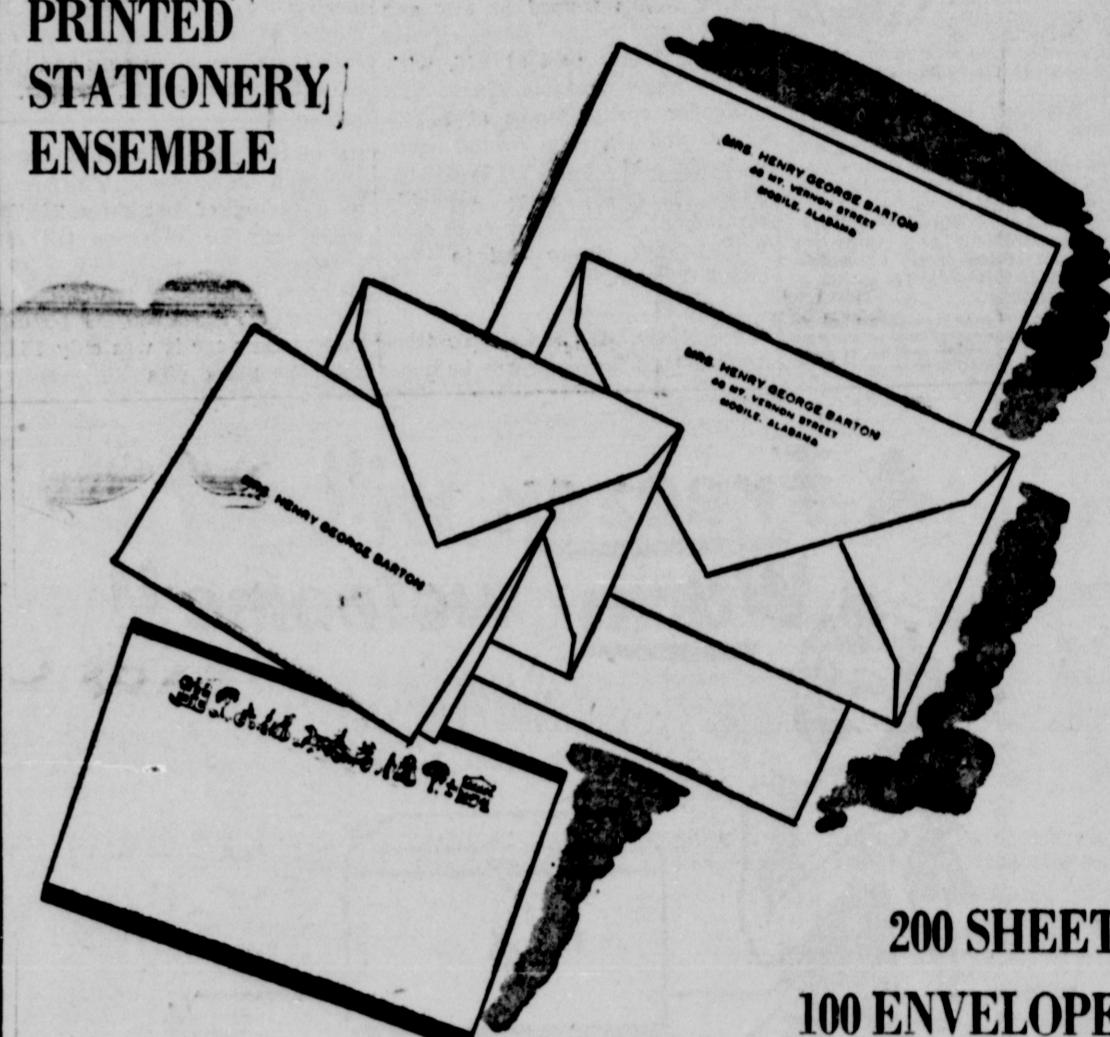
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(This is a CASH sale—no gift wrapping.)

THE BOOK SHOP will be closed from July 5th to July 18th for remodeling.

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16-oz. Can. 34¢	7-oz. Can. 64¢
Shortening Crisco	Oxydol Detergent
1-lb. Can. 35¢	1-lb. Can. 27¢
All Detergent	Swan Laundry Soap
1-lb. Can. 35¢	3-lb. Can. 23¢
Swan Laundry Soap	Dial Detergent Soap
3-lb. Can. 38¢	2-lb. Can. 23¢
Dial Detergent Soap	Snowdrift Shortening
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Bebé Creme	Ajax Gleamer
1-lb. Can. 17¢	1-lb. Can. 12¢
Asst'd Dog Food and Heart	Brer Rabbit Syrup Buo de Brue
1-lb. Can. 15¢	1-lb. Can. 21¢
Cat Food	
96	15¢
White Napkins as	Peanut Butter Peter Pan White or Granular
1-lb. Can. 15¢	1-lb. Can. 37¢
Zoo Dollar Prices Assorted Colors	Kleenex
4-Cat. Pkg. 35¢	15¢

Gerber's Baby Food

Egg Yolk	22¢
Strained Fruits	25¢ 9¢
Jr. Baby Foods	25¢ 11¢
Strained Meats	25¢ 21¢
Teething Biscuits	10¢ 23¢
General Goods	15¢ 17¢

Swanson Products

Frozen Chicken Pie	85c. Lbs.	27¢
T.V. Turkey Dinner meat	85c. Lbs.	83¢

Save on these week-end buys...

Crisco Shortening	3-Lb. Can	75¢
Canterbury Tea	Orange Pekoe 1/2-Lb. Pkg.	22¢
Lipton Tea	Orange Pekoe 1/2-Lb. Pkg.	25¢
Peanut Butter	Real Roast 12-Oz. Jar	29¢
Peaches	Premium quality. Bel-air Frozen. 10-Oz. Pkg.	15¢
Ice Cream	Assorted Flavors. Snow Star 1/2-Gal. Ctn.	59¢
Cottage Cheese	Blossom Time 12-Oz. Ctn.	15¢

Low shelf prices!			
Tomato Juice	Bunny Dava	44 Oz. Can	30¢
Pork & Beans	van Camp's	100 Cans	15¢
Cherub Milk	Evaporated	3 Tall Cans	37¢
Powdered Milk	Loc-Mil	1-Lb. Pkg.	33¢
Vienna Sausage	Ultra	No. 1/4 Cans	20¢
Light Tuna	Fancy Pain-Wide	7-Oz. Can	31¢
Fine Desserts	Assorted Flavors Jell-Well	4 Oz. Pkg.	7¢
Ten-Below Dessert		7/4 Oz. Pkg.	37¢

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Parade Detergent	25¢		
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Liquid Starch <small>Paunthorpe</small>	21¢		
White Magic Bleach	16¢	Baby Limes <small>Swing Hills</small>	27¢
Airway Coffee <small>"Contains Brazil's Finest"</small>	78¢	Boy-Ar-Dee <small>Spaghetti Dinner</small>	44¢
Nob Hill Coffee <small>Extra-rich</small>	81¢	Pooch Dog Food	8¢
Edwards Coffee <small>Top Quality</small>	85¢	Grapenut Flakes <small>Plus</small>	22¢
Instant Coffee <small>Edwards</small>	55¢	Kitchen Craft Flour	84¢
Nestle's Cocoa <small>Everready</small>	33¢	White Corn Meal <small>Meatless</small>	83¢
Kool Aid <small>Assorted Flavors</small>	25¢	Fudge Mix <small>Bromodex</small>	33¢
Apricot Preserves <small>Tea Garden</small>	27¢	Salad Oil <small>Monday</small>	34¢
Preserves <small>Strawberry, Tea Garden</small>	36¢	Pure Lard	42¢

Roast	Pikes Peak U. S. govt.-graded calf	15. 65
Ground Beef	Economy. Ground fresh daily at Safeway®	14. 29
Chuck Roast	U. S. govt.-graded calf.	14. 43
Sirloin Steak	U. S. govt.-graded calf.	14. 69
Pork Sausage	Wingate	2-lb. 65 Pkg. 43
Fine Frankfurters	Somerset	1-lb. 43 Pkg.

Calf Liver	lb.	49¢	Dry Salt BACON Coarters	lb.
Short Ribs or Brisket, or Govt. graded calf	lb.	25¢	Smoked Picnics 6 to 8 lb. avg.	lb.
Round Steak or Swiss, U. S. Govt. graded calf	lb.	79¢	Canned Hams 4 lb. avg.	lb.
Rib Chops Govt. graded calf	lb.	59¢	Bologna Sliced. Jumbo	lb.
Pork Roast Loin end	lb.	63¢	Olive Loaf or Pickle Pimento	lb.
Neuhoff Smokies	12-Oz. Pkg.	55¢	Luncheon Loaf special	lb.
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Control of Johnson Grass in County Proving Successful, Says County Agent

Farmers of the Hamlin section are showing interest in experiments made recently with Johnson grass control on farms.

Spot oiling of Johnson grass in cotton fields has proven very successful in Jones County in 1954, according to Bill Lehberg, county agent.

Johnson grass can be killed to the ground by the application of one-third teaspoonful of a herbicidal oil to the crown of each stem. Eradication of established Johnson grass can be obtained in a single season by repeating the treatment at seven to 10-day intervals.

Best results are obtained when treatments are begun before the stems are six inches tall and before the base of the stems become glazed. The oil is used most efficiently when it is applied to the lower one-fourth inch of the stem. Treatment of foliage is unnecessary and wasteful. Six or more consecutive oil treatments usually are needed to eradicate the grass.

This practice is successful in controlling scattered infestations of established Johnson grass in cotton and most other crops. It is faster, easier and far more effective than hoeing. Avoid treating the stems and foliage of crop plants. They are susceptible to the oil at the rates used. A careful operator can treat the crowns of the grass as close as two inches to cotton stems without injury to the crop. A slightly greater distance should be allowed for corn. The amount of oil needed depends on the stand of the grass and the efficiency of the operator.

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Reductions in stand of the grass usually require three applications of a fortified oil. Adding one-fifth pint of M-233 Delappon per gallon of oil greatly increased the kill of rootstocks from a single application.

Naphthas, diesel fuel oil and kerosene generally are available in Texas in barrel and 500-gallon lots. Naphtha usually costs about 21 cents per gallon, and diesel fuel oil and kerosene about 13 cents.

General weed killing oils are available in transport truck lots (5,000 gallons) on special order. Pentachlorophenol, oil soluble dinitro and other proven oil fortifiers are available from dealers in agricultural chemicals or on special order. Diesel fuel oil or kerosene mixed with an equal volume of naphtha or fortified with one per cent pentachlorophenol by volume usually cost about 17 cents per gallon. The prospects of HCA and M-233 Delappon being sold in 1955 are unknown.

The average cost of treating the grass with naphtha diesel fuel oil mixture was \$2.35 per acre of infested cotton per application.

The oil cost \$1.05 and labor to apply it cost \$1.30 per acre. Six applications cost \$14.10 per acre.

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NEW OFFICERS ELECTED—Newly elected officers of the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association pose together in College Station after their election of the annual Texas 4-H Roundup at Texas Agricultural & Mechanical College. They are: (left to right) Dan D. Clinton, Harris agent of Houston, president; J. H. Martin, Ector agent of Odessa, vice president; Uel Ray Stockard, Tarrant assistant agent of Fort Worth, second Vice-President; and Felix J. Burton, Rusk agent of Henderson, secretary-treasurer.

Wheat Farmers to Vote on Marketing Quotas Saturday

Wheat farmers of the Hamlin section will join growers of the rest of the state and nation this month to decide in a national referendum whether marketing quotas will continue in effect for their 1956 crop. The State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee urges Texas producers to participate in the vote.

"Under the present surplus situation, we are required to proclaim marketing quotas," Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson said.

"We will have almost as much wheat in the total supply after harvest this year as we had a year ago. In other words, we will have enough wheat to take care of all our domestic and export needs for two full years."

Benson has said that wheat is one of the major problems facing the Department of Agriculture this year.

Any producer in commercial areas who will plant more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest as grain in 1956 is eligible to vote in the referendum. Two-thirds of the vote must favor marketing quotas before they can be put into effect.

Local voting places for the June 25 balloting will be announced for each county.

The available supply of wheat for the 1955-56 marketing year is 66 per cent above the considered "normal supply." The secretary must call for marketing quotas when the normal supply exceeds 20 per cent.

In the referendum last summer 73.3 per cent of the farmers voting approved the quotas.

First Baptist Church Sponsors Bible School For Colored Children

Members of the First Baptist Church are sponsoring this week a vacation Bible school for the colored children of Hamlin. The sessions are being conducted at the Oak Grove Colored Baptist Church, of which Rev. J. L. Johnson is pastor.

The principal, Rev. Houston Walker, reports around 90 enrolled through the first three days.

Those helping in the school are Sarah June Walker, Jo Goodman, Barbara Durham, Cecilia Albrton, Carolyn Pace, Mrs. J. O. Murphree, Mrs. W. H. Hallmark, Billy Hallmark, Ann Cochran, Mrs. Houston Walker and Mrs. J. H. Howe.

Mrs. W. W. Fletcher and Mrs. I. D. Miller are arranging refreshments for the school.

Commencement exercises will be conducted this (Friday) evening at 8:00 o'clock. Parents of the children and visitors are invited to attend, say church leaders.

Methodist Youths to Attend Abilene Meet

Four young people from the First Methodist Church will next week attend the annual Methodist Youth Fellowship assembly at McMurry College in Abilene. The sessions will open Monday and continue through Saturday.

Delegates named from the First Methodist Church MYF unit are Sara Kay Fomby, Jean Powell, Bobby Beale and Melvin Haines.

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Joe Simpson's Mother Succumbs at Hico

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Simpson and two daughters went to Hico Friday following the death of Mr. Simpson's mother, Mrs. H. H. Simpson, 84-year-old pioneer of Central Texas, who had been ill for several months.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at Hico.

of a tractor at the time the crop is being cultivated and spot spray the Johnson grass with the use of a spray line. The operator who rides usually cannot spray the crowns as thoroughly as the operator who walks.

Two types of hand sprayers are satisfactory for the crown treatment of Johnson grass. They are:

(1) Knapack sprayers equipped with piston type hand pumps; and

(2) gravity flow sprayers. Knapack sprayers cost \$25 to \$30 each. A suitable gravity flow sprayer for use off the operator's back can be constructed for less than \$10.

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Patterson Reports On Convention at Rotary Luncheon

New appreciation of the Rotary Club movement was gained by his attendance several days ago of the international convention he reported on the confab at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Chapter No. 460, Order of the Eastern Star, entertained their officers with a dinner and forty-two party at the oil mill guest house Monday evening.

Attended by more than 18,000 Rotarians from all parts of the world, the convention at Chicago, Illinois, theme 50 years of service as the group celebrated their golden anniversary. Outstanding programs of entertainment featured famous actors and dancers and several panoramas with historical backgrounds, Patterson reported.

Besides celebrities of the Rotary movement, other speakers at the convention included Vice President Richard Nixon.

On his return to Hamlin, made in a new automobile, Patterson stopped at Rotary International's office at Evanston, Illinois.

Guests at the Wednesday luncheon included O. T. Higes of Rule, Ralph E. Wallace of Sweetwater; Jim Etter, Ed Stewart Jr., Lester L. Barry, Hugh M. Hardy and Max Poler of Abilene.

Robertson had been a Hamlin resident for 27 years, having moved here from McCaulley where he had farmed.

Born March 20, 1885, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Robertson in Kentucky, he moved with his family to Texas early in life. He was married December 25, 1906, to the former Bertha Elliott.

Funeral services were to be conducted Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. Officiating were Rev. Houston Walker, pastor, and Rev. Henry Littleton of Lueders.

Burial was to be in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home.

Survivors include the wife, Mrs. T. C. Robertson of Hamlin; two sons, Gaylon Robertson of Kermitt and T. C. Robertson Jr. of Hamlin; two daughters, Mrs. Arnold Herd and Mrs. Leon Mabry, both of Hamlin; and a step-brother, Walter Campbell of Union City, Tennessee.

A mortgage may be necessary at times, but one's conscience should be kept unencumbered.

The United States should trust all nations but, just to be safe, maintain strong defense forces.

More Society News

Eastern Star Officers Entertained at Dinner And Games Party

Hamlin residents were among the 58 attendants at the third annual reunion of the J. F. Drennan family, held June 18 and 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Andress at 3008 Thirty-Sixth Street in Lubbock.

The mother, Mrs. J. F. Drennan, was present along with all her living children of seven girls and two boys. The children are Mrs. Douglas Helms of Bellflower, California, Mrs. Willie Goldsmith of Long Beach, California, Dan Drennan of Downey, California, Mrs. Frank Martin and Mrs. Delbert Rountree of Hamlin, Tom Drennan of Abilene, Mrs. W. T. Rogers of Tahoka and Mrs. E. M. Kratz and Mrs. Earl Andress of Lubbock.

Eighteen grandchildren and great-grandchildren also attended the gathering.

Plans were made for another reunion in 1956, to be held in the Earl Andress home again.

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Chuck Wagon from 6666 Ranch to Make Drive to Stamford

A chuck wagon rolling along the road, a sight almost never seen in these times, will make the 70-mile journey from the 6666 Ranch at Guthrie to Stamford for the Texas Cowboy Reunion. There will be several ranch chuck wagons on hand, but all will be hauled by truck except the 6666 wagon.

George Humphrey, resident manager, told W. G. Swenson, president-manager of the Reunion, "I remember that about 25 years ago we brought a chuck wagon overland to the Stamford celebration and folks along the way revealed a lot of interest, and so we thought it would be a sentimental gesture, on the reunion's silver anniversary, to do it again."

Four buckskin mules will pull the wagon, and Sam Cates, wagon cook, will be the driver. The trip will take two days and an overnight camp will be made about midway.

Old-time cowboys and the general public can obtain a meal at the chuck wagon which will camp on the reunion grounds. Dates of the reunion and rodeo are Friday, Saturday and Monday, July 21, 22 and 23.

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Texas' 1954 Baby Crop Was Biggest on Record, as Stride Made in Live Births

Texas' 1954 baby crop turned out to be the biggest on record, the State Health Department's Bureau of Vital Statistics reported this week.

The 240,209 live births registered for the year was an all-time high rate of 28.4 births for every 1,000 population, bureau statisticians said.

Most of the new babies were 8.104 for every 100 girls—summary said, but 881 more male babies than female babies died during their first year.

"The attrition against the male sex goes on steadily through infancy, childhood, adolescence, maturity and old age," a statistician commented.

How many mothers of 1954 babies were residents of Texas at the time of blessed event is not yet known, but every one of the babies are bona fide Lone Star citizens by virtue of state residence.

While birth rates are soaring to unprecedented high levels, deaths from selected causes were being cut to the lowest points in history.

"Last year saw the total death rate (7.7 per 1,000 population), the infant mortality rate (31.0

Grasshoppers Still Plague Cotton of County, Says Agent

Grasshoppers continue to be a menace to Jones County crops, according to Bill Lehmburg, county agent, but as long as the rains continue and the pastures stay green, the damage should only be marginal.

Hoppers are more easily controlled when they are small than at any other time, advises the agent in urging early control.

One of the following sprays will give good control: Heptachlor, two pints per acre; diethyl, one pint per acre; BHC, one and one-half to two quarts per acre; aldrin, one-half to one pint per acre; toxaphene, one to two quarts per acre; chlordane, one and one-half to three quarts per acre (for the four-pound chlordane).

For those who prefer to use a bait, sodium fluosilicate poison is available at no charge at the county agent's office. The following mix is recommended: Bran, 25 pounds; filler (sawdust, cottonseed hulls or peanut hulls), 75 pounds; sodium fluosilicate, 16 pounds; and water, 20 to 30 gallons.

This bran bait is very effective against both the jumbo and flying hopper.

Those who plan to get poison at the agent's office should bring their containers, Lehmburg advises.



TIRED BUT HAPPY—Bob Hope (left) shakes hands with Governor Allan Shivers in Austin after they completed their round of exhibition golf. The golf match was played at the Austin Country Club and all proceeds went to the Cerebral Palsy fund. Hope quipped with the governor not to squeeze too hard because he wanted to save his hand for another game. The two teams, captained by Hope and Shivers, ended up even.

Rainy Season Timely Period to Check Soil Absorption Condition

During the rainy season is an opportune time for farm owners and operators to observe the condition of the soil, declare officials of the California Creek Soil Conservation District. Soils in good condition, and reasonably high in organic matter, absorb water more readily, are less likely to pack and run together.

Soils on which water stands for hours, and in some instances days, following a good rain do not permit plant roots to feed deep into the soil. Plants with a shallow root system suffer or burn up more readily during dry weather and produce lower yields, according to E. L. Cowger, Soil Conservation Service technician who is assisting the soil district.

Those soils on which legumes have been, and soils that have had a good crop stubble left on or near the surface, ordinarily remain more open and permit less water to run off. Also less damage is done by winds drying and blowing the soil.

STEPS OF ANY KIND. Wife—"Jock, it's high time we took steps to . . ." Jock—"Na, lass. Let's not talk of wasting leather."

Despite the generations of those who have viewed-with alarm, the world seems to be getting along about as well as one might expect.

Typewriter ribbons at Herald.

Wild Cow Milking to Be Feature of Rodeo At Cowboy Reunion

As many Hamlin area attendants will testify, the wild cow milking contest gives laughs as well as thrills to the rodeo crowds at the Texas Cowboy Reunion, dates this year being July 1, 2 and 4.

This event is not as familiar a sight to rodeo goers as are the riding and roping contests, for Stamford is one of the comparatively few shows including the wild cow milking event.

Wild cow milking is unique in one respect—a contestant starts out with an assistant but, if the contestant tries to rope the cow and misses, the other man can then throw his loop and, if he catches the cow, he becomes the contestant, with the other man helping him.

Of course, the task is to milk a struggling, kicking, ornery critter and the milk is not directed into a bucket but a small bottle, and then the milker, on foot, runs to the judge and there must be enough milk to be poured out.

The rodeo will present also the standard contests: Bull riding, and bareback bronc riding. In calf roping, saddle bronc riding addition, there will be a cutting horse contest. Stamford's rodeo originated this now widely adopted event. Also there will be the exciting cloverleaf barrel race by the lovely cowgirl sponsors (another event which the Stamford rodeo started).

Cash Income for Texas Farmers in Gain Over Last Year

While Hamlin area farmers had little part in the increases, Texas farmers' cash income rose four per cent during the January-April period, compared with the same four months of 1954, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Almost all farm commodities contributed to the increase, with wheat showing a 53 per cent gain; oats, 30 per cent; corn, 20 per cent; fruits and vegetables, 20 per cent; mohair, 17 per cent; and peanuts, 16 per cent. Only decreases in the year-to-year comparison were hogs, down 11 per cent; wool, six per cent; and cotton, four per cent.

Farmers found that, although cash income had risen, prices paid for their commodities during April dropped slightly, one per cent, from April, 1954. Livestock and livestock product prices fell six per cent, while food grain prices were down four per cent.

USING DIPLOMACY.

Professor—"Smith, will you tell me why you look at your time-piece so often?"

Smith (suavely)—"Yes, sir. I was afraid, sir, that you wouldn't have time to finish your interesting lecture, sir."

ACCOMPLISHMENT.

Duane, age three years, watched his baby sister in great astonishment as she pulled herself up to a standing position for the first time. Then he rushed excitedly up against the tree. Finally he sank to the base of the tree, a dejected huddle.

"Losht, losht, in an impenetrable forest," he muttered.

People who don't realize the value of money seldom have any.



NEW BAR HEAD—Maurice R. Bullock, 41, of Fort Stockton has been elected president of the state bar by 12,000 lawyer members. Bullock is an attorney at Fort Stockton. Results of the mail poll election were announced by President R. N. Gresham of San Antonio.

LOST CAUSE.

After a convivial evening with friends, he was making his way home when he ran into a tree. Cautiously he backed off and tried again. Again he collided. Tightening his jaw, he made another attempt, then another.

It was no use. Each time his wobbling feet brought him back up against the tree. Finally he sank to the base of the tree, a dejected huddle.

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"Slow Down and Live" Is Watchword of Traffic Safety Program Now Underway

E. C. McFadden, president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., this week officially opened the June speed control program which the Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council are conducting this month. "Slow Down and Live" is the watchword of the program.

"One of the greatest traffic hazards of the present day is the impatient driver who refuses to drive at a speed that is safe for conditions," McFadden declared. "Such a driver not only endangers his own life—he's a menace to everyone he meets."

McFadden pointed out that the only intelligent way to drive is to let conditions of weather, traffic, road, the mechanical condition of your car and your own physical and mental conditions determine your speed.

"Posted speed limits are maximum limits," he said. "They are safe only when all conditions are favorable."

McFadden gave drivers the following six-point check list as a guide in determining safe speeds:

1. Drive at a speed that will enable you to stop in the assured clear distance ahead.

2. Slow down before you get to curves and intersections.

3. At night drive at the speed which will let you stop within your headlight range.

4. Drive with traffic. You are probably going too fast if you are passing many cars—too slow if many cars are passing you.

5. Where children are playing.

be able to stop in a car length or less.

6. When you're tired or inattentive stop.

Ten from County Go To District 4-H Club Leadership Meeting

Ten people from Jones County last week attended the annual District III 4-H Club leadership camp at Buffalo Gap.

Delegates from Jones County were Judy Simmons of Anson, Karen Irvin and Delores Hunter of Noddle, Sandra Garrett of Lueders, A. H. and Jimmy Roberts of Anson and Cleveland Garrett of Lueders. Also attending from Jones County were Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent; Alice Kemp, assistant county home demonstration agent in training; and Bill Lehmburg, county agricultural agent.

Purpose of this camp is to train the 4-H Club members so that they can come back to their counties and assist in directing a county camp.

Activities in the camp were citizenship, recreation, safety, camp council and crafts.

HAD GOOD REASON.

The talkative lady was telling her husband about the bad manners of an acquaintance who had recently paid her a visit.

"If that woman yawned once while I was talking to her," she said, "she yawned 11 times."

"Perhaps she wasn't yawning dear," the husband said. "Maybe she wanted to say something."



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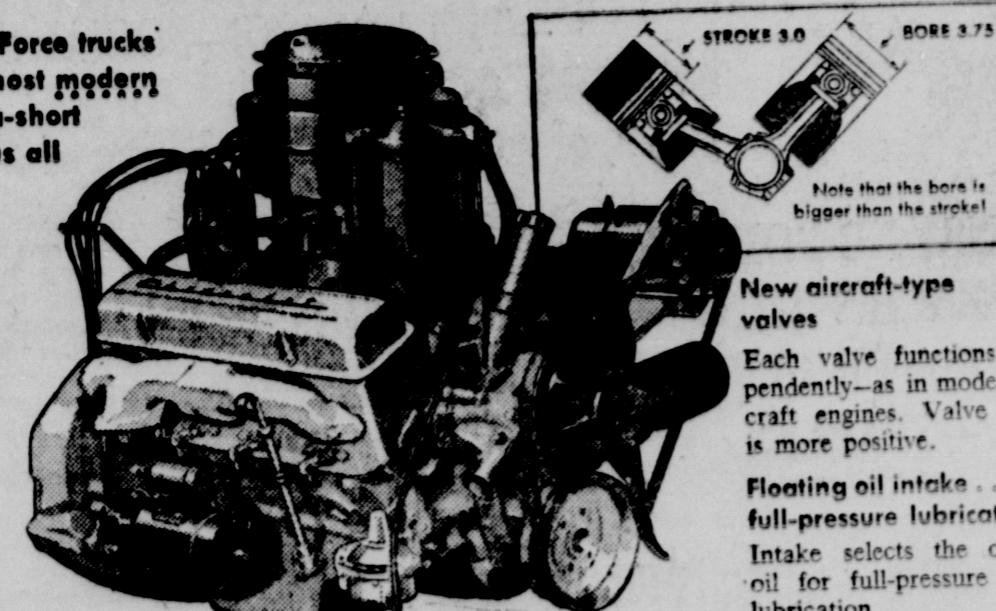
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Junior Boys Will Be in Encampment At Lueders Monday

Numbers of Hamlin area Baptist junior boys will be among the scores from District 17 who will be attending the Junior Royal Ambassador camp at the Lueders Baptist encampment grounds beginning Monday and closing June 30, church leaders advise.

More boys are expected to be in camp this year than last year when 303 junior boys from all over the district were in camp. There were 1,244 enrolled in the five youth camps last season.

Harry Grantz of Carbon is district Royal Ambassador leader. Rev. Harvey Kimbler of Eastland will be camp pastor, and Rev. Frank Edwards, missionary to Nigeria, will be camp missionary.

The campers will stay in cabins and eat at the encampment cafeteria. Rev. Henry Littleton is business manager, and Mrs. Littleton is in charge of the book store.

The daily schedule will include worship service, mission study, handwork, supervised recreation and athletics and swimming. Boys will have an opportunity to advance in rank in the Royal Ambassador organization.

This week the Junior Girls Auxiliary was in camp from Monday through Thursday, June 20-23. The Sunbeams have a camp Thursday and Friday, June 23-24.

MEDICINE REALLY WORKED.

Down in the country it's customary to measure medicine in homespun ways. Not long ago, a small town doctor met the husband of one of his patients on the street.

"How's your wife, Ezra?" he asked. "Did you give her that sleeping powder like I suggested—just as much as you could get on a quarter?"

"Well, doc," answered Ezra, "I didn't have a quarter, so I gave her what I could get on five nickels. That was a week ago, and she's still asleep, and things haven't been so peaceful around our house in years."



CENTRAL TEXAS WELCOME—Near perfect weather and a pretty miss greeted National Democratic Chairman Paul Butler (right) on his arrival in Temple. The young lady is Sue Skelton, whose father, Byron Skelton (left) is chairman of the executive committee of the Texas Democratic Advisory Council who was accompanying Butler. Skelton is a Temple attorney.

J. H. Fry of Anson to Head USO Area Drive

J. H. Fry of Anson has been named as chairman of District 16 on the Texas United Defense Fund, the state-wide group which will sponsor USO's campaign for \$640,000 in Texas this year. This district includes Haskell, Jones, Shackelford and Throckmorton Counties.

Fry was appointed by C. E. McCutchen, official in the First National Bank at Wichita Falls, who is regional campaign chairman of the forthcoming fund appeal to carry on the familiar services of the USO to the young men and women of the nation's armed forces.

A major portion of the Texas goal, as in 1954 will be included in Community Chest and United Fund campaigns throughout the state this fall.

Veterans Advised of GI Bill Termination

World War II veterans of the Hamlin area training under the original GI bill were reminded this week by the Veterans Administration that July 25, 1956, marks the end of the program for all but a handful of them.

Even though a veteran may still have unused GI training entitlement at that time, or even though he may be in the middle of a course, his GI training payments will come to an end on July 25, 1956.

VA advised World War II trainees to keep the deadline in mind in working out plans for the remainder of their training programs.

Most of the news that you read happens because a reporter was around.

Hamlin People by Score Planning to Attend Reunion

Hamlin area people by the score are making their plans to attend the twenty-fifth annual edition of the Texas Cowboy Reunion this week-end at Stamford this weekend. They are part of their holiday celebration.

"We believe the silver anniversary of the Texas Cowboy Reunion will be the best one yet," says President W. G. Swenson.

Over 500 real cowboys of the present day will compete in the four rodeo performances and several hundred old-time cowboys from a dozen states will be in Stamford for the twenty-fifth annual celebration, Friday, Saturday and Monday, July 1, 2 and 4.

"Goat" Mayo of Iowa Park, who owns a big string of fighting bulls and bucking horses, will provide the stock as he has for almost every year since the rodeo started back in 1930. Will Rogers attended the Cowboy Reunion in 1935 just shortly before he took off on the fatal flight to Alaska. Gene Autry, Paul Whiteman, Wild Bill Elliott, Tex Williams, governors and many celebrities have applauded the cowgirls' sponsors' race (a feature which originated at Stamford), the Brahma bull riding, wild cow milking, magnificent grand entry and the other exciting and colorful features of the rodeo.

There will be a downtown, all-western parade opening day, July 1, at 5:00 p. m., a rodeo all three nights and a matinee on the Fourth. Chuck wagons from famous ranches will serve dinner to the public, and there will be an old-time fiddlers' contest, cutting horse contest, roping for old-time cowboys and many other events.

FIRST AID GROWING.

The American Red Cross inaugurated its first aid service on January 1, 1910. Originally designed to teach first aid to workers in mines and on railroads, it has since expanded to most industries, civic groups and the general public.



HEDY LAMARR (above) took a lie detector test in Houston in connection with the mysterious disappearance of \$50,000 worth of her jewels including the \$20,500 engagement ring from her oilman husband, W. Howard Lee. Detectives said the test was inconclusive because of her nervous condition.

Hamlin People Attend Funeral at Stratford

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Milstead and daughter, Lola, and granddaughter, Betty Jane, were at Stratford Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Milstead's sister-in-law, Mrs. R. M. Davis of Stratford, who died last Friday.

Mrs. Davis died of injuries sustained about three months ago in a car accident, in which her husband also was injured. They have been in a hospital since the mishap.

HAS APPENDECTOMY.

Peggy Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jenkins, is recovering nicely from an appendicitis operation which she underwent Monday morning at Hendricks Memorial Hospital at Abilene.

Continued Thrip Damage Noted to Cotton of Regin

Continued thrip damage to cotton in the general area around Hamlin is reported in the weekly cotton situation report furnished The Herald by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, cooperating with the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Crops are making good growth in most areas of the state, the report continues. Rain in light to heavy amounts fell over most of the state during the past week, but moisture is needed in parts of the Lower Valley, Coastal Bend, Southwest, West Central, West, North Plains and South Plains areas. Moisture conditions are good in areas not listed above.

Unseasonably cool weather slowed the growth of cotton somewhat during the latter part of the past week, especially young cotton in the northern and western parts of the state. Several areas of the state were buffeted by high winds and thunderstorms with hail in some parts causing damage to crops.

Pink bollworm infestations in bolls have increased slightly in the Lower Valley. Rosette blooms were found in most fields inspected in South Central, Central and East areas and a few fields of the Upper Coastal area.

Boll weevils were reported on the increase in the Lower Valley with many fields in need of control measures.

Thrips damage is decreasing in most fields from the South Central area southward except in a few late planted untreated fields. Thrips were reported damaging cotton in some fields in the Central and Northwest areas. Light to medium infestations were found in the North and South Plains areas with the heaviest infestations in fields near wheat and legume crops.

VISIT IN O'NEAL HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Coltharp of Tucumcari, New Mexico, and Mrs. Buddy O'Neal and wee daughter, Lanell, of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal, last week in Hamlin.

DOWN IN THE RUT. A woman who wanted to sing in grand opera asked a German music professor to give her an audition. He played her accompaniment and listened to her for a few minutes, but she sang so badly off key that he finally slammed down the piano lid and refused to continue.

"What's the matter?" asked the woman in amazement. "Don't you like my singing?"

"Der trouble mit your singing, madam," said the exasperate maestro, "is dot vedder I play o' der vite keys or der black vun you sing all the time in de cracks!"

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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford, Manager,

Texas Press Association.

Austin.—A luncheon that didn't open in the governor's mansion Monday had state-wide repercussions. It could affect the fate of Texas' Democratic delegates at the president's convention next month.

Austin National Chairman

Bar Butler completed a six-day

tour of Texas at Houston.

It was billed as an effort to

store harmony between the liberal

and conservative Texas

Democrats.

Mrs. Hilda Weisert of Seguin,

loyalist national committeewoman,

joined in inviting Butler to Texas.

But she boycotted his numerous

banquet meetings because, she said,

the loyalist Democratic ad-

visory council's chairman, Judge

Sam Sewell of Corsicana, took

over, and froze out contacts with

the conservatives.

Governor Allan Shivers invited

Chairman Butler to a luncheon

with state officials at the man-

sion, to be held June 20.

Butler replied that his schedule was "too

tight" but he'd be glad to see

Governor Shivers in any city

where he was billed to appear.

That angered liberalist John

McKelvey of Electra, who had

arranged the reconciliation confer-

ence of Shivers and Butler in

Washington in May. He resigned

from the Democratic advisory

council.

Austin politicians were studying

the effect of Butler's speaking

tour. Some of them thought

there had been considerable

"double talk," as Butler's state-

ments could be interpreted to suit

any view.

At Waco late last week Butler

abandoned the "open door" theme

of trying to lure back Democrats

who had voted Republican in 1952.

He invited the Democratic ad-

visory council, his host on the

tour, to "organize" the 6,000

Texas precincts with loyal lead-

ers for next year's showdown.

A significant feature of Butler's

tour was that four prospective

candidates for governor on the

liberal ticket basked in the photo-

grapher's flash-bulb limelight.

At Dallas, Supreme Court Asso-

ciate Justice Will Wilson ap-

peared in his former home city as

master of ceremonies at the But-

ler rally of over 1,000 liberals.

John C. White, commissioner of

agriculture, sat at the head table.

Ralph Yarborough of Austin,

strongly rumored as ready for a

third try as the governor candi-

date of the liberals, started out

with Butler at Lubbock and showed

up at nearly all his meetings.

And Senator Jimmie Phillips of

Angleton showed up at a Waco

rally for Butler.

Present also were several other

candidates who are prospective

candidates for governor—and half

a dozen House members.

Butler's Houston appearance

was before the state convention

of the Young Democratic Clubs.

Virtually all the potential candi-

dates for governor on the liberal

ticket showed up there, too.

White delivered the keynote ad-

dress at the opening business ses-

sion and Yarborough also spoke.

A 95-page audit documenting

investigations of irregularities in

the Veterans Land Board has

been released by State Auditor

C. H. Cavness.

Cavness emphasized throughout

his report the need for additional

field supervisors and investigators

... who can check continually to

prevent irregularities in the

\$1,000,000 loan program.

The audit covered the period

from September 1, 1951, to Janu-

ary 4, 1955 (the last day Bascom

Giles was commissioner of the

general land office and chairman of

the Veterans Land Board).

After winding up its sixth week

of investigation before Justice of

the Peace Travis Blakeslee in

Austin, the court of inquiry into

overall operations of the general

land office moved to Corpus

Christi.

Twenty land office geophysical

inspectors stationed in Corpus

Christi will be questioned there

this week.

Unusually favorable moisture

conditions throughout Texas have

brightened the crop outlook con-

siderably, says the U. S. Depart-

ment of Agriculture.

Feed crops have made good de-

velopment, according to USDA re-

ports. Corn prospects are espe-

cially promising. Cotton pros-

pects are "very promising."

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Automation, South American Pacts, And War Claims Discussed by Burleson

Automation is suddenly in everyone's vocabulary. Translated in terms of a man's work, it means being replaced by machine, points out Congressman Omar Burleson in his weekly release. "Washington: As It Looks from Here." His article continues:

Many people have thought in the past that their jobs would be taken over by a machine, and in fact, many have been. On the other hand, it seems when a machine takes over a job it has a tendency to create work for not only the person displaced, but for others also.

I suppose what most of us are looking for is a machine which will do all of our work and leave us idle entirely. Of course, we will want to be paid while we are idle. In fact, that seems to be the attitude of a great many people—past, present and doubtless it will be in the future.

While most everyone has been looking the other way, three South American nations have welded themselves together in economic unity. Chile, Bolivia and Argentina are now linked by

agreements pledging economic integration. Argentina has grain, meat, lumber and small industry. Chile and Bolivia have coal, oil, copper, tin nitrates and hydroelectric potentialities.

The pacts call for sharing of capital for investments, and mutually building highways and pipelines. If it works out, dependence on Europe and the United States for markets for raw materials will diminish.

There is nothing wrong with economic integration in Latin America, but if we properly develop our foreign trade, we will be furnishing these countries the things they need and securing from them certain raw materials essential to maintain our standard of living. Certainly we cannot afford to lose any more foreign markets.

The Foreign Claims Settlement Commission has announced that claims of the thousands of civilian American citizens trapped by the Japanese at Wake Island, Guam, Midway and the Philippines during World War II—and those in the military held prisoner of war by the enemy—must be filed by August 31, 1955.

The Defense Department is worried. More than 2,000,000 workers are engaged in the manufacture of military supplies, but have not received security clearance. Those who handle "secret" and "top secret" work get a careful check. Below this they get



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Southeast First



FARM HOME OF MRS. DAVE HERBST southeast of Hamlin (above) printed in last week's Herald was first correctly identified by Mrs. Wayne Hodnett, resident of that part of the county. The 160-acre farm, being worked by M. F. Holmes, is devoted to the growing of row crops. The Herbsts purchased the place in 1919 from Lee Littleton, and they occupied the place until 1951. The place is six miles southeast of town.

15 from Hamlin Go to GA Camp Sessions

Eleven girls and two sponsors from the First Baptist Church attended the Baptist encampment at Lueder's this week for the Junior Girls' Auxiliary. The camp is district-wide and covers several nearby counties.

Rev. Byron Bryant, pastor of Stamford's First Baptist Church, was the camp pastor.

Those attending from the Hamlin church were Mrs. Troy Austin and Mrs. Zula Bryson; and Beth Cochran, Sarah Snapp, Lillian Sue Austin, Georgeanna Fitzgerald, Nancy Carter, Gerri Brewer, DeGwen Sanderlin, Elsie Walker, Sharon Walker, Hollyn Bryson and Dottie Albritton.

Careful driving pays dividends—not to the other fellow, but to you.

a "confidential" clearance, sometimes in a matter of minutes. The military points out that some contractors give "confidential" clearance as soon as a worker is hired.

Frankly, the defense officials do not know what to do about it. They are unable to spare the personnel necessary to check all these workers. The FBI needs more money and men to do the job. The problem has been dumped into President Eisenhower's lap.

Most of the labor unions are seemingly against these security checks being made. They contend, as do some others, that it would create a sort of gestapo.

People in sensitive positions were checked for security during the war, and I can see no reason why it could not be done even better at the present time.

"If a man acts like a man long enough, he is likely to be one."

Mystery Picture Identified First by Mrs. W. Hodnett

Mrs. Wayne Hodnett was the first to correctly identify last week's mystery farm picture in The Herald, and she will receive a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper.

The place was one belonging to Mrs. Dave Herbst, five miles southeast of Hamlin. Occupying the place as a tenant is the M. F. Holmes family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbst purchased the place in December, 1919 from Lee Littleton. The farm's 160 acres have been devoted to the growing of row crops, principally cotton and feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbst, who were married January 26, 1913, moved to the place in 1920 and remained there until Mr. Herbst's death in October, 1951. She was the former Earl Sheldene.

The present house on the place was erected by the Herbsts in 1934.

Mrs. Herbst, who is active in activities at the First Baptist Church, now resides in Hamlin. She has no children.

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ROBY, TEXAS

SWIM POOL

(concluded from page one)
School. He will be assisted by John Taylor. The foundation will receive a percentage of the net proceeds from the pool's revenue, according to Delma Shephard, president of the foundation.

Need for more funds to complete the pool's construction was emphasized by Jack Russell, fund raising chairman, who declared that a number of pledges have not been paid. Other donors who have said they would contribute but would not pledge are urged by Russell to make their donations at once to Mrs. Terrie Moore, Mrs. E. M. Wilson at The Book Shop, Mrs. George Poe or Russell.

Sale of season tickets also was being pushed to raise additional funds.

Without police protection there would be comparatively little civilization.

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BARBARA STANWYCK
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Plus Selected Shorts

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Thursday, June 28, 29, 30—

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"CHIEF CRAZY HORSE"

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GEORGE MONTGOMERY
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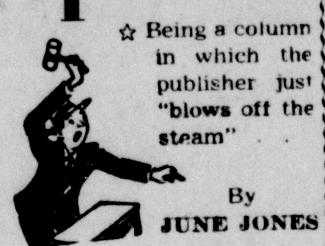
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By JUNE JONES

BIBLE SCHOLARS of the area will have to be called in for consultation, no doubt to help figure this one which we lifted from an exchange:

"Daddy?"

"Well, my son?"

"Are there any Christian fleas?"

"Whatever put that idea into your head?"

"The minister read it today from the Bible . . . 'the wicked flee when no man pursueth.'"

"No, no. That means that the wicked flee."

"Oh, then, is there a wicked woman flee?"

"No, no! It means that the wicked flees . . . runs away."

"Why do they run away?"

"Who?"

"The wicked fleas."

"No, no! Don't you see? The wicked man runs away when no man's after him."

"Is there a wicked woman after him?"

"Look, son . . . here's two bits . . . why don't you go to a movie?"

COMMON SENSE is found in the breezy little odes submitted by the traffic safety division of the Texas Department of Public Safety. A typical version reads:

In this world of turmoil and strife, What is a minute compared to a life?

CARL ANDERSON, lawyer of Sweetwater, who spoke at the Tuesday noon luncheon of Hamlin Lions Club, was spinning a yarn about an old fellow who was riding a crowded bus and was forced to stand up for a long time because there were no vacant seats.

A woman had sitting in a seat next to her a big female dog.

"Lady, how about letting me use the seat where your dog is?" urged the foot-weary traveler.

"I've paid a fare for my dog and she's going to ride in the seat," replied the positive woman. "Well, how about my sitting in the seat and holding your dog?" he suggested.

But he got the same sort of curt reply.

Finally when he fagged out, he picked up the dog and threw it out a window then occupied the seat. An Englishman, who was riding in the bus across the aisle, said to the fellow:

"You Americans do the funniest things. You threw the wrong bitch out the window, my dear fellow."

ONLY REASON J. E. Patterson, new president of Hamlin Rotary Club, can make this column two weeks in a row is because we owe an apology to him or to Hamlin Lions Club.

A squib about the popular insurance man last week in this column declared that he had just returned from the Lions Club international convention. While some Lions declare he would have been a better man if he had gone there, Pat claims he must remain loyal to the club that footed his expense bill.

Pat says he can't quite decide whether to sue The Herald for \$10,000 or \$100,000 for libel.

A YOUNG TAXI DRIVER fell in love with a very wealthy young lady. They decided to be married, but the girl's parents said no. They said that she must marry someone more of her own social and financial position. But the young lady was firm, and the parents finally consented.

The wedding took place, and made a very small splash in the society columns.

But that man's name has been in the papers again recently. He is Dr. Jonas A. Salk, perfecter of the now famous polio vaccine.

NOTES OF A DOCTOR out at Hamlin Memorial Hospital showed up a clever piece of deduction recently, according to a report coming to The Herald.

The doctor's new secretary was puzzled by an entry in the doctor's notes on an emergency case:

"Shot in the lumbar region," it read.

After a moment, she brightened and, in the interest of clarity, typed into the record: "Shot in the woods."

A Chicago man who beat his wife every day for a week has promised the judge that he will not do it again. It doesn't hurt any man to make these little sacrifices now and then.—Springfield Union.



ANOTHER IN THE SERIES of Mystery Farm Pictures being run by The Herald is shown above. First person, other than the owner and his family, to correctly identify the view will be given a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper. In order to give readers of the paper living on the rural routes an equal chance of identifying, no answers will be accepted before 1:00 p.m. Friday, either in person or telephoning to the paper office. The original aerial picture will be presented to the owner by The Herald.

Water Put in Swimming Pool As Call for Funds Emphasized

Payment of Past Pledges and Other Gifts Sought



EVANGELIST for a two-week series of revival services beginning Sunday and continuing through July 10 at the Foursquare Church, corner of Southwest Avenue D and Southwest First Street, will be Rev. Richard Myers (above) of Los Angeles, California.

Stamford Church to Host Two-County Sing

Foursquare Gospel Church in Stamford will be the scene Sunday afternoon of the regular Haskell and Jones County singing, to which the public is invited.

Several special singers will be featured, declare officials of the group. Singing will get underway at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Lots to Talk Over for Brother and Sister Who Hadn't Seen Each Other in 45 Years

Happy reunion of a brother and sister who had not seen each other in 45 years was being enjoyed this week by a couple of youngsters in Hamlin.

Their reliving some of their childhood days of another century was consuming a lot of their time. And after 45 years of separation, there is bound to be a lot of things to talk over!

The reunionists are Mrs. Annie L. Nall, 82-year-old Hamlin girl, and Eugene Wade, age 80, of Anniston, Alabama.

But the present reunion in Hamlin is only the beginning of reunions. Mrs. Nall has another brother, Morgan Wade, also of Anniston, who will be coming to see her soon whom she has not seen in 47 years.

Seals Leave Sunday For Lions Convention

Dr. William S. Seals, president-elect of Hamlin Lions Club, and wife left last Thursday for Atlantic City, New Jersey, where they are attending the annual convention of Lions International. The convention opened Tuesday and will continue through Saturday.

The Seals drove through to the East Coast in their car. They will return home next week.

New \$11,000 Fire Truck Bought for City Tuesday

More Rains First of Week Bring Year's Fall to 11.13 Inches

Hamlin section continues to be a mighty wet area—with a total of 5.80 inches having been registered by the government rain gauge at the city pump station for the month of June.

Monday was the ninth day of the month to register rainfall, which is really something unusual for this region. And, although the rains have caused farmers a lot of extra planting, you will hear no gripes about the wet weather.

By days, June rainfall has been recorded as follows: June 2, .59 of an inch; 6, .13; 8, .96; 9, .23; 15, 1.42; 16, .24; 17, .02; 19, trace; 20, .21.

Total rainfall for the year is 13.13 inches, which is a little more than two inches above the 11-inch average for the period, according to government records.

After last week's torrential rains of Tuesday and Wednesday, that were accompanied by high winds and hail that did considerable crop and property damage, farmers had just gotten back into their fields in many areas to re-plant and cultivate when this week's deluge came.

After an elaborate electrical storm that came out of the north Sunday night about 11:00 o'clock, the rain clouds dumped the bulk of their load in Hamlin and to the north and northwest. Nienda, just six miles south of town, received only half an inch.

Representing the telephone concern were Regional Manager Bill Blakeny of Abilene and District Manager George Beard of Sweetwater.

The increase in telephone service were requested as a follow-up to previous requests when partial increases were granted at Hamlin.

Increases sought in Hamlin are raises from \$8.25 to \$10 per month for business telephones; \$4.50 to \$5 for one-party residence telephones; and \$3.50 to \$4 for two-party lines. These rates, explained the Southwestern representatives, are in line with rates charged or being sought in cities of comparable size to Hamlin.

Briefs presented by the phone concern declared that a return of only \$661 was realized in 1954 from an investment of \$330,000 in the Hamlin exchange. This figure was cut only .03 per cent.

Children Burned

Two small boys, children of occupants of a tourist court cabin at the H. E. Walton Hamlin Courts on South Central Avenue, sustained minor burns in a fire that did minor damage Thursday morning. Firemen answered the call to the courts, where they extinguished a tubful of clothes that ignited from a gasoline can. Damage was estimated at \$50.

Inducted in Service

William H. Hallmark of Hamlin was among area draftees who were inducted into the armed services last Wednesday at the Abilene induction station.

Braves Maintain Lead in Little League Race

Those bounding Braves continued their monopoly of the lead in the Little Baseball League this week by holding to their record of only one loss for the season. They have won seven of their eight games.

Standings of the four-team members after Tuesday night's games follow:

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Braves	8	7	1	.875
Giants	8	6	2	.750
Cardinals	9	3	6	.333
Yankees	9	1	8	.111

Games scheduled for the balance of the week are: Thursday night, Yankees vs. Giants; Friday night, Braves vs. Cardinals; and Saturday night, a make-up game between the Giants and Braves.

California Evangelist To Lead in Revival at Foursquare Church

Two-week series of revival services is scheduled to begin Sunday at the Foursquare Church, corner of Southwest Avenue D and Southwest First Street, according to Rev. Carl Pool, pastor. The meeting will continue through July 10.

Evangelist will be Rev. Richard Myers of Los Angeles, California, who will preach on weekdays at 9:30 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Sunday services will be at regular preaching hours.

Rev. Myers is an outstanding evangelist for the denomination, and is also a talented musician. He will present special musical numbers and direct the congregational singing.

The public is invited to attend the services, members of the Foursquare Church announce.

Hamlin Airmen Spend Week-End Together

Two Hamlin young men who are serving with Uncle Sam's Army Air Force in Germany, recently spent a week-end together at Camp Pruijn in Bitburg, Germany. The boys were Billy Jean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jean, and Billy Bevins, so no Mrs. J. T. Bennett.

The young men did a bit of reminiscing, and asked The Herald to say a jolly hello to their friends back home.

Paving Slowed by Rain

Work on several blocks of paving in Hamlin was stymied again first of the week by rains that fell in the area Sunday night. A number more blocks of paving have been lined up for work, according to Roy Dunlap, city Coordinator, who is supervising the project for the city.



CATCHING UP ON THEIR GOSSIP for the past 45 years have been Mrs. Annie L. Nall, 82-year-old Hamlin resident (left), and her brother, Eugene Wade, 80-year-old citizen of Anniston, Alabama, who had not seen each other for nearly half a century until this week when Wade came to visit his sister. Another brother, whom Mrs. Nall has not seen for 47 years, also of Anniston, is due to come for a visit soon with the Hamlin woman.

Wheat Growers to Vote on Supports

Wheat growers of the Hamlin area will vote in the wheat referendum Saturday at the Farmers Cooperative Gin in Southeast Hamlin.

Chairman W. H. Cook of the Jones County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee has designated six voting places in Jones County for the voting.

Here are the places where the eligible wheat growers of the county will indicate whether or not they want the wheat marketing quota program to continue in operation for the 1956 crop: Hamlin, Farmers Cooperative Gin office; Stamford, Kimbell Elevator; Lueders, Felts Service Station; Hawley, Smith Service Station on highway; Noodle, Farmers Co-

operative Gin office; Anson, ASC office.

Wheat growers have been notified of their wheat acreage allotments, Cook advises. All wheat producers who will have more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest in 1956 are eligible to vote.

The marketing quota program does not affect those who will have 15 acres or less of wheat for harvest in 1956. The program will be in operation only in the commercial wheat states.

If two-thirds or more of the nation's wheat growers voting in the referendum approve, marketing quotas will continue in effect for the 1956 crop. This will mean that price supports within a probable range of 75 to 82 per cent of parity will be available to those who stay within their farm's wheat acreage allotment.

Those who exceed the larger of the farm allotment or 15 acres will be subject to a penalty equal to 45 per cent of parity on the excess production, and price support will not be available for any of their 1956 wheat crop.

If more than one-third of the growers voting disapprove, marketing quotas will not be in effect and price supports will be available at 50 per cent of parity for those who stay within the wheat acreage allotment for their farms.

Those who exceed their farm allotments will not be eligible for price supports.

Thoughtful Driving for Fourth of July May Save Lives, Safety Expert States

What is the death rate in this country? Your own speedometer may give you the answer.

That advice to Hamlin area motorists who try to drive too fast on holidays was issued to The Herald in a release by the National Safety Council, which is coordinating a nation-wide campaign aimed at reducing traffic accidents over the Fourth of July week-end. One hundred and sixty national organizations are participating in the campaign.

The council estimates that more than 40,000,000 vehicles will be on the move during the three-day week-end and that they will roll up more than 3,000,000,000 miles.

In such heavy traffic a driver is never more than a second away from an accident, the council says. It is estimated that he must make from 20 to 50 decisions an hour—and a wrong one can be fatal.

Over the Memorial Day week-end 368 persons were killed in traffic accidents. "If they had died in a nation-wide epidemic the whole country would be taking frantic steps to see that it never

Auditor's Report Shows City Is in Good Condition

Hamlin City Council accepted the low bid of Central Fire Truck Company of St. Louis, Missouri, of \$6,764 on a new unit for the Hamlin Fire Department, when it met in regular monthly business session Tuesday night. The unit is to be delivered within 75 days.

The bid is on the truck equipment only. Bid for the chassis was to be opened Thursday morning, cost of which was estimated to be about \$2,000. Additional hose equipment also will be added to the new unit, making the overall cost about \$11,000, city officials estimated.

The fire truck would be the fifth major piece of motor equipment purchased during the past 15 months by the City Council under an announced plan to modernize the city's rolling stock. The city now has two outmoded fire trucks, newest of which is a 1937 model.

Report of Darrell Knight of the Abilene auditing firm of Todd, Knight & Todd, covering audit of the city's books for the fiscal year ending April 30, was approved. The audit showed that the

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LET'S GET TO THE REAL SEAT OF POOR BUSINESS

Most of Hamlin's merchants have experienced a diminished business during the past several months, and some of them are trying to console themselves that it is all because of the drouth. But if they will do a little analyzing and double-checking the bulk of their business losses are due to a far more vital reason than that—it is the lack of citizens of the community remaining loyal to their home merchant, and the merchants failing to patronize one another.

And right here is where some critics will declare that The Herald has started meddling when it brings up the subject of trading with one another. But we challenge any and all comers to prove that our theory is not sound and practical.

Let us put it bluntly: If Hamlin area people spent their money in Hamlin, the city would enjoy prosperity unbounded, and there would be no howl of poor business. The merchants could make money; they could add more employees; they could pay more taxes; the churches and schools could be better supported; the cycle of increased business would affect everybody living within the perimeter of the trade area. With the increase in business that Hamlin community people alone could create, there would be no hard times.

Just for illustration, without having any particular person or class in mind: What if all the clothes our people have were bought in Hamlin! We daresay the volume during the past year would run into six figures. What if all the cars people are driving had been purchased in Hamlin! What if all the re-

Freedom Is Wonderful

From Japan comes word that an official Japanese expedition is headed for the jungles of New Guinea. The purpose of the mission is to inform several thousand Japanese soldiers that Japan has lost the war.

It is estimated that these soldiers, the remainder of 12,000 Japanese troops who fought in this section of New Guinea, are still hiding out, waiting for the day when Tojo's troops return and retake the island for the emperor.

Thus, for 10 years, these Japanese have been holding out, fighting for a lost cause. What spurred the dispatch of the expeditionary force to the jungles of New Guinea was the appearance of a few Japanese recently in a settlement in New Guinea. These men had been hiding out since 1945 and did not know that the United States had won the war.

We think it is appropriate that these men be brought back to Japan now, since Japan is currently beginning to rearm. They must be getting home and into training. Irony of ironies!

Discourteous Friends Need

The friend who tells us our new necktie is beautiful when he thinks it's terrible; who says our speech was "marvelous" when he actually slept through it; and who in every way is so kind that he never tells us the truth, may win our love, but he never helps us any.

If a man is going to grow, he needs someone to coach him on the sidelines, someone to act as a mirror in which he can see himself as others see him. Without someone to tell him the truth about his mannerisms, his habits and his mistakes, he may go marching straight to disaster with the cheers of his courteous friends ringing in his ears.

To improve yourself, get a close friend to check you. Just so there will not be any hard feelings, you check him in return. Thus you will eliminate the bunk and hokum and really and constructively help each other.

Kindness puts us to sleep with the ether of self-satisfaction. Criticism may be hard medicine to take, but it achieves the opposite result. It wakes a man up.

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TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Gongson in the Hamlin community 20 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated June 21, 1935:

Hudson's Super Service was advertising Firestone tires at the following prices: Size 4.50x21, \$7.75; 6.00x16, \$11.95.

Complimenting her sister-in-law, Mrs. O. D. Roland of Port Arthur, Mrs. Henry Arbitron entertained Friday with games of bridge. Attending were the honoree and her friend, Mrs. Nathan Waldrop of Abilene, and Mmes. G. R. Bennett, W. S. Pike Jr., W. L. Boyd, W. A. Arbitron, John Ed Day, Milton Wilson, B. L. Jones, A. E. Pardue, Q. Martin, C. C. Prater, Bowen Pope, Bill Rountree, Maurice Smith, Frank Waggoner, R. B. Wiar, Frank Williams, Lowell Ballew, Clinton Barrow, Newman Bender, B. M. Brundage, J. E. Bury, H. O. Castle, J. C. Culbertson, Joe Culbertson, J. W. Ezell, C. C. Jones, O. L. Henry, W. F. Johnson, W. M. Braymer, George Gray of Sweetwater, J. H. Bridener of Baltimore, Maryland, J. F. Taylor, J. E. Moody, A. D. Ensey, Dick Moore, R. H. McCurdy, R. W. McCurdy and Alfred Harden; and Misses Marie Pope, Janie Mae Johnson, Annie Laurie Johnson and Margaret Boyd of Sweetwater.

TEN YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, which are reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated June 22, 1945:

The happy face on an old-timer, Hallie T. Bedford, is seen back in Hamlin this week after having spent the past winter and spring at Roswell, New Mexico. He and Dan J. Payne are running the oil mill out there.

Private First Class Walter S. Acklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Acklin of Hamlin, is in a Philippines hospital recovering from wounds sustained in fighting on Okinawa against the Japs, details of which are not available. Young Acklin has been very active in military action on both Leyte and Okinawa.

Staff Sergeant Earl Smith returned this week after his release from nearly a year in a German prison camp. He was shot down when his plane was flying his third mission over Germany, being reported missing last June 29. On last July 11 he was reported being held as a prisoner.

Private J. D. Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hayes of Hamlin, has been reported by the War Department as having died in a Japanese prison camp on June 9, 1945.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

Happenings in the Hamlin community five years ago deemed newsworthy included the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated June 23, 1950:

Preparations are being made in Hamlin for an x-ray unit to come here to give free chest tests that will determine the presence of tuberculosis. Committees from the Rotary and Lions Clubs are handling details of the engagement.

Free city mail delivery for the City of Hamlin definitely has been assured by the Post Office Department, with deliveries to begin on July 1, according to Postmaster Perry Sparks. W. L. Hunter Jr. and Roy Mauldin have been selected as initial carriers for the two city routes.

All foundation steel to be used in erection of the new stands at Pied Piper football stadium has been laid on the ground, and construction is slated to begin within a few days, according to school officials.

Jessie Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Myers of Sylvers, became the bride of Eual Frank Lawson of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Monday evening at the Sylvester Baptist Church.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Items of general interest in the Hamlin community a year ago included the following, which are reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated June 25, 1954:

Plans for a city street paving program, that have been talked for several months, have been revived, according to Mayor Willard Jones, who says that negotiations with a paving firm are being conducted by city officials.

Scores of former residents of the Nienda community, south of Hamlin, are expected to attend the homecoming, which has been set for Sunday, July 4.

Cotton insects in the Hamlin area are posing a serious threat to the crop, according to County Agent Bill Lehmburg.

GOOD REPORTING.

Reporter—"What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who had a fight at the baseball game last night?"

Friend—"Why, just say that the bleachers went wild."

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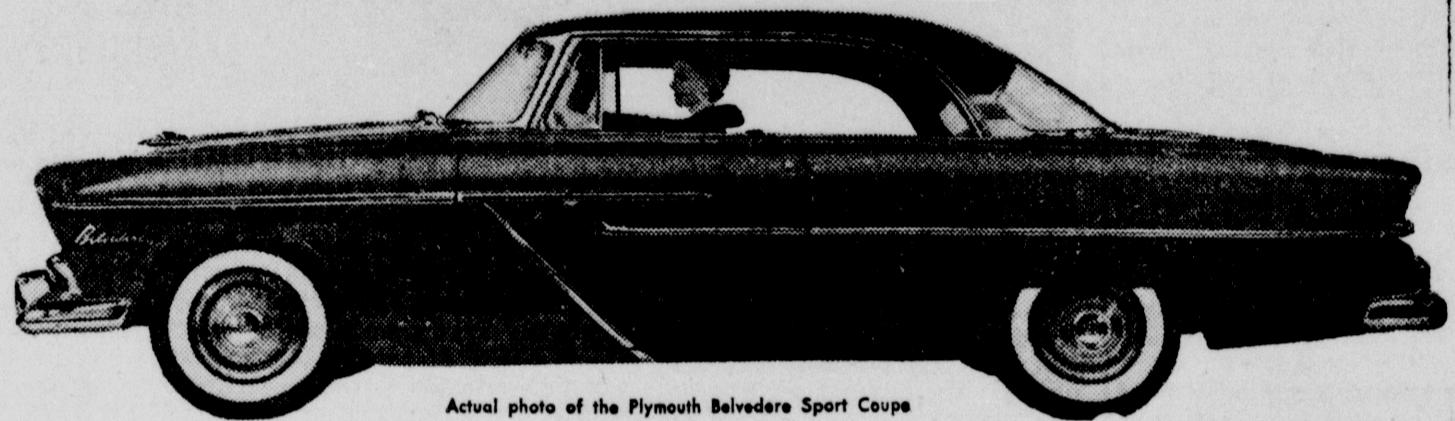
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The Herald's Page for Women



New Officers for Hamlin Eastern Star Chapter Installed in Tuesday Rites

Mrs. Kelly Scott was installed as worthy matron, and Tom Davis as worthy patron of the Hamlin Chapter No. 460, Order of the Eastern Star, in ceremonies at the Masonic Lodge hall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Nola Claxton of Abilene was installing officers; Mrs. John W. Mayfield, installing chaplain; Mrs. Joe Lee of Fort Worth, installing marshal; Mrs. Dick Maberry, installing organist; Mrs. Mattie Nunn of Abilene, installing secretary.

Other officers installed were: Mrs. Joe League, associate matron; Hershel Phillips, associate patron; Mrs. A. Hudson, treasurer; Mrs. Clarence Hiver, associate conductress; Mrs. Floyd Briscoe, chaplain; Mrs. W. W. Wallace, marshal; Mrs. Charlie Abbott, organist; Mrs. Don Locke, Adah; Mrs. O. H. Wilbanks, Ruth; Mrs. Kenneth Seifres, Esther; Mrs. Hershel Phillips, Martha; Mrs. Hill Smith, Electa; Florne Corbett, warden; Howard Nall, sentinel.

Two officers, the conductress, Mrs. Roy Watson, and secretary, Mrs. Ira Clements, were unable to be at the installation.

Mrs. Tom Davis was appointed registrar, and Charlie Abbott, was appointed song leader.

The worthy matron's chosen colors, pink and white, were used in decorations of the chapter room and the dining hall. Her motto, "Love and Hospitality," and the names, "Jewel" and "Tom" were cut in large pink letters and with the Eastern Star emblem on a white background made an attractive decoration on the wall above the worthy matron's station.

Charlie Abbott, worthy patron, called the meeting to order, and the outgoing officers in their pink net formals entered as Mrs. Charlie Abbott played the entrance march. The Lord's Prayer was said in unison. Charlie Abbott led the assembly in giving the pledge of allegiance to the flag and the singing of the national anthem.

Mrs. Briscoe, worthy matron, welcomed members and visitors, and presented the installing officers. The outgoing officers retired, and the new officers were duly installed.

Mrs. Scott, newly installed worthy matron, used as the theme of her address her motto, "Love and Hospitality." She selected for her spiritual guidance for the year Psalm 51:10.

Mrs. Scott expressed her appreciation to the installing officers, after which each was presented a gift from Mrs. Scott by Mrs. Paul Goodgame, escorted by Mrs. Clarence Hymer. Mrs. Goodgame made each presentation with an appropriate verse.

Mrs. Scott was then presented an Eastern Star ring by her daughter, Mrs. Joe Carter. The gift was from her father, Kelly Scott; her brothers, K. T. and John Ed; her husband, Joe Carter, and Mrs. Carter.

Following the presentation of the gifts, Mrs. Scott introduced her program chairman, Mrs. Fred Smith, who presented Mrs. Dick Maberry for a piano solo "Star of the East." Mrs. Bill Scott of Abilene, sister-in-law of the worthy matron, who gave two readings; and Mrs. Ewell Carter of San Angelo for a solo, "A Perfect Day," accompanied by Mrs. Dick Maberry.

After the program, the Mizpah benediction was given in unison.

Mrs. Scott invited the guests to the dining room, where Mrs. George Malouf and Mrs. A. Hudson presided at the punch bowl. The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth with an arrangement of pink carnations flanked by candelabra holding pink candles.

The refreshment committee was composed of Mrs. George Malouf, Mrs. A. Hudson and Mrs. W. R. Terry.



DRESS OF 1925 MAKES COME BACK—Mrs. George Surkey of San Antonio (black dress) came to Mrs. Miriam A. (Ma) Ferguson's eightieth birthday party in Austin in the same dress, shoes and accessories that she wore in 1925 to attend Mrs. Ferguson's inaugural ball. Mrs. Ferguson (second from right) the first woman ever elected as governor of Texas, looks at Governor Allan Shivers (right) as he asks Mrs. Surkey about the dress.

Hamlin Woman Takes Education Workshop Courses at NTSC

hospital and other nearby institutions.

Purposes of the workshop are to develop leadership, study health problems, initiate health programs and to coordinate school, home and community health education.

Among those enrolled in the workshop is Mrs. Ouita Bule, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cain of Hamlin. Mrs. Bule is a graduate student working toward a master's degree in education.

Taught by Dr. Emmett F. Cameron, the graduate students work with visiting consultants in specialized health fields. On the schedule are visits to a camp for diabetic youngsters, a federal

Mr. and Mrs. Clee Barnett and Mrs. Ray Willingham of Brownfield were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terrell at Hamlin.

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Melba Jo Ueckert, Bride-Elect, Honored At Wednesday Tea

Melba Jo Ueckert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Ueckert of Nienna, and bride-elect of Wendell Rankins, was honored at a gift tea Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Williams.

Other hostesses were Mrs. W. E. Gardner, Mrs. W. C. Jackson, Mrs. C. E. Gregory, Mrs. John Scarborough, Mrs. Roy Williams, Mrs. John Brown Sr., Mrs. Jackie Williams, Pat Cole, Mrs. Fred Vaughn, Betty Cole, Mrs. Donley Williams and Mrs. O. H. Weaver.

Decorations carried out the honoree's chosen colors of pink and white. The serving table was covered with ecru lace over pink and centered with a bride cake carrying pink carnations. The bride was surrounded by white hearts filled with pink carnations flanked by four tall tapers in crystal holders. Appointments were in crystal and silvers. Mrs. John Brown Sr. and Mrs. Donley Williams assisted in serving.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Jack Williams and introduced to the honoree, her mother and the mother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Fred Vaughn and Mrs. Jackie Williams displayed the gifts, and Mrs. W. C. Jackson directed the guests into the dining room.

Pat Cole registered the following guests: Mrs. Douglas Rankin, W. D. Rankin, E. W. Frost, R. D. Rankin, F. W. Poe Jr., L. B. Jones, Woodrow Dutton, J. E. Dutton, Jet Milas, George Rodgers, J. J. Wilemon, J. E. Brown, Sam Hodges, Noel Weaver, H. E. Cole, Park Wheat, Jack Kelly, John R. Brown Jr., Phil Hazel, J. C. Hodnett, J. E. McCoy and Kay, Elmer Joiner, A. G. Miller, Troy Austin, Elmer Freeman, Rex Doshier and Floyd Winslett; Misses Clarice Brown, Lucy Carothers, Evelyn Kidwell, Della Hamlin, Charlene Joiner, Barbara Ann Freeman and Betty Cole.

Betty Cole said the good-byes. The honoree was dressed in a pink street length dress with white accessories.

Wedding for the young couple will be Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the Nienda Baptist Church.

Dixie Lytle Marries Tom Holman Boyd

Dixie Lytle became the bride of Tom Holman Boyd Friday, June 10 at 5:00 p. m. in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church at Vernon. Rev. J. B. North, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lytle of Vernon. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Boyd of McCaulley.

After a wedding trip to Colorado, the newlyweds will be at home at 1312 Twenty-Ninth Street in Snyder, where he will be engaged in the trucking business.

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and mingle with the flock?
Or do you stay at home to
Critize and knock?

Do you take an active part
To help God's work along?
Or are you satisfied—
To only just belong?

Do you ever visit a person
Who's in sin?
Or leave the work to just
A few and talk about the
clique?

Think this over, members!
For you know the right from
wrong.

Are you an active member—
Or do you just belong?
By Mrs. Harold Lee

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Preaching at 11:00 A. M.
Training Union at 6:45 P. M.
Preaching at 8:00 P. M.

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Woodrow McHugh, Pastor

Hamlin Club Women to Cooperate in "Call for the Living" Safety Program

Hamlin women's clubs will have a part in a national movement by women's organizations to emphasize a safe driving campaign among the people of the United States.

Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. C. Aubrey Stewart of Fort Worth, state chairman of safety, have announced completion of plans with the presidents of 1,200 clubs of TFCW arranging for 100 percent participation with the General Federation of Women's Clubs project, "Call for the Living," which is a telephone crusade beginning on June 20 and ending June 30 for safe driving for the Fourth of July holiday period.

This project was instituted by Mrs. J. Howard Hodge of Midland, safety chairman for GFWC, and Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman of Jerseyville, Illinois, GFWC president.

Church bells will signal the 5,500,200 members of the General Federation to the telephone to ring for a new freedom—freedom from fear of death on the highway—by making four random calls to deliver a safety message stressing care and courtesy in driving. The men who declared the independence of the United States on July 4, 1776, noted the unalienable rights—life,

liberty and the pursuit of happiness, and charged that with precedence these rights would be preserved.

All civic, educational, religious and patriotic groups have been invited to participate by making special announcements at their meetings. Prudent driving, a safety check on the vehicle at the time the trip is planned will reduce the death and injury toll. Chain calls to the living may help to prevent the casualty report to families and loved ones.

VISIT IN HAMLIN.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Griffin and daughter, Ann, of Frost visited Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green. Mrs. Griffin is a sister of Mrs. Green.

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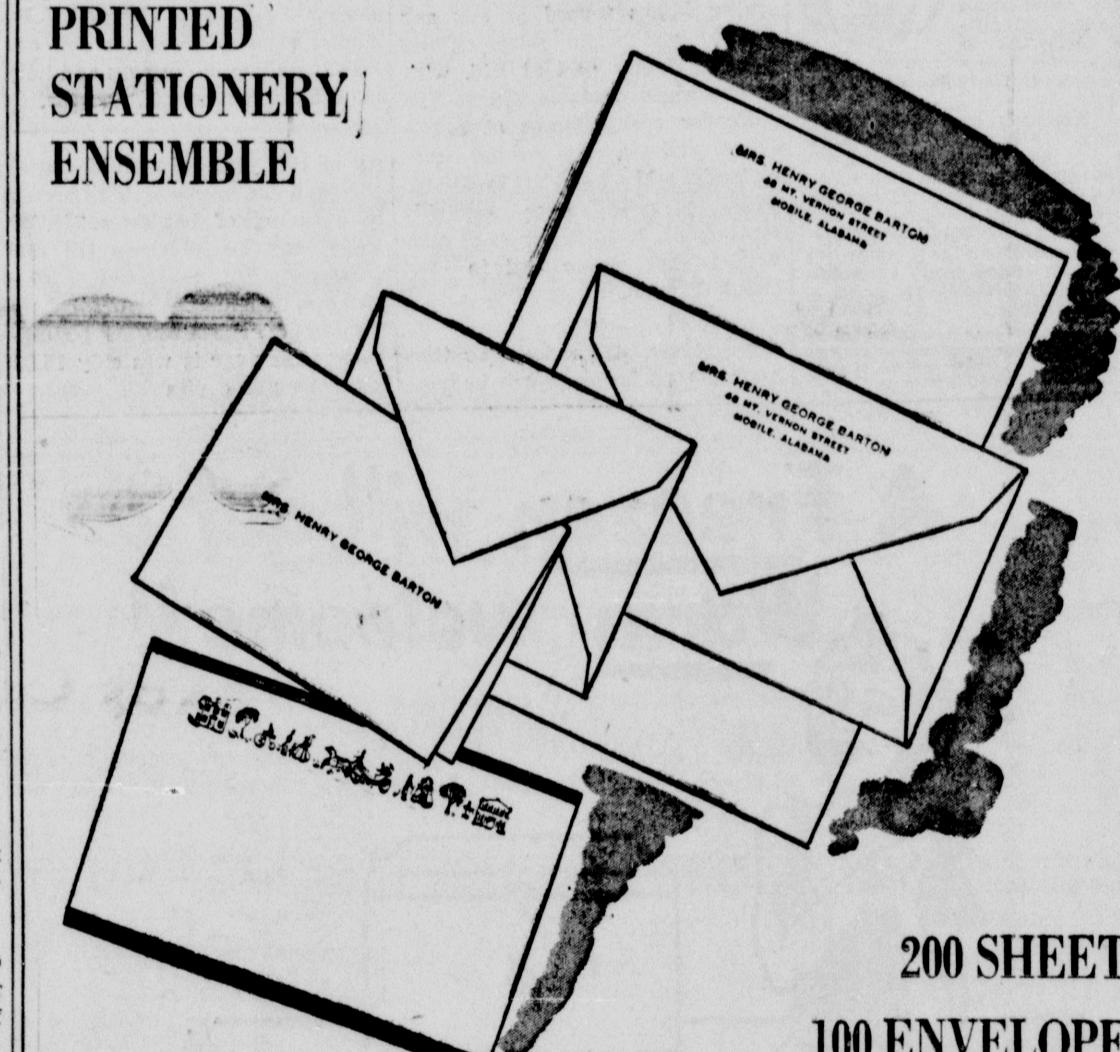
Mr. and Mrs. Loy D. Fry Jr. and daughter, Margaret Ann, of Wichita Falls, spent Father's Day with Loy D. Fry Sr. and other relatives at Hamlin.

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Fleet Mix	24¢
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Limeade	27¢
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12-oz. Ctn. 15¢

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Baby Limes Sunny Hills	27¢
Boy-At-Dee Speckled Diner	44¢
Pooch Dog Food	8¢
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1-lb. 69¢

1-lb. 65¢

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Control of Johnson Grass in County Proving Successful, Says County Agent

Farmers of the Hamlin section are showing interest in experiments made recently with Johnson grass control on farms.

Cutting Johnson grass to the ground four and five times in adjacent fields with comparable infestations cost \$15 to \$7 per acre, did not reduce its stand and did not prevent prolific production of seed after hoeing was discontinued.

Johnson grass can be killed to the ground by the application of one-third teaspoonful of a herbicidal oil to the crown of each stem. Eradication of established Johnson grass can be obtained in a single season by repeating the treatment at seven to 10-day intervals. Best results are obtained when treatments are begun before the stems are six inches tall and before the base of the stems become glazed. The oil is used most efficiently when it is applied to the lower one-fourth inch of the stem. Treatment of foliage is unnecessary and wasteful. Six or more consecutive oil treatments usually are needed to eradicate the grass.

This practice is successful in controlling scattered infestations of established Johnson grass in cotton and most other crops. It is faster, easier and far more effective than hoeing. Avoid treating the stems and foliage of crop plants. They are susceptible to the oil at the rates used. A careful operator can treat the crowns of the grass as close as two inches to cotton stems without injury to the crop. A slightly greater distance should be allowed for corn. The amount of oil needed depends on the stand of the grass and the efficiency of the operator.

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Reductions in stand of the grass usually require three applications of a fortified oil. Adding one-fifth pint of M-233 Delaporn per gallon of oil greatly increased the kill of rootstocks from a single application.

Naphthas, diesel fuel oil and kerosene generally are available in Texas in barrel and 500-gallon lots. Naphtha usually costs about 21 cents per gallon, and diesel fuel oil and kerosene about 13 cents.

General weed killing oils are available in transport truck lots (5,000 gallons) on special order. Pentachlorophenol, oil soluble dinitro and other proven oil fortifiers are available from dealers in agricultural chemicals or on special order. Diesel fuel oil or kerosene mixes with an equal volume of naphtha or fortified with one per cent pentachlorophenol by volume usually cost about 17 cents per gallon. The prospects of HCA and M-233 Delaporn being sold in 1955 are unknown.

Crown application by hand permits treatment of the grass without getting the oil on the crop plants. A liberal "squirt" of the oil to the crown of each grass stem is enough to apply at one time. Several satisfactory methods of applying the oil were used at College Station and McGregor.

The operator may: (1) Walk and carry a knapsack, hand-powered sprayer or a gravity flow sprayer on his back; (2) walk and carry a hand sprayboom connected by a hose to a tractor-mounted sprayer; or (3) ride on a platform mounted on the front

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NEW OFFICERS ELECTED—Newly elected officers of the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association pose together in College Station after their election at the annual Texas 4-H Roundup at Texas Agricultural & Mechanical College. They are: (left to right) Dan D. Clinton, Harris agent of Houston, president; J. H. Martin, Ector agent of Odessa, vice president; Uel Ray Stockard, Tarrant assistant agent of Fort Worth, second Vice-President; and Felix J. Burton, Rusk agent of Henderson, secretary-treasurer.

Wheat Farmers to Vote on Marketing Quotas Saturday

Wheat farmers of the Hamlin section will join growers of the rest of the state and nation this month to decide in a national referendum whether marketing quotas will continue in effect for their 1956 crop. The State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee urges Texas producers to participate in the vote.

"Under the present surplus situation, we are required to proclaim marketing quotas," Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson said.

"We will have almost as much wheat in the total supply after harvest this year as we had a year ago. In other words, we will have enough wheat to take care of all our domestic and export needs for two full years."

Benson has said that wheat is one of the major problems facing the Department of Agriculture this year.

Any producer in commercial areas who will plant more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest as grain in 1956 is eligible to vote in the referendum. Two-thirds of the vote must favor marketing quotas before they can be put into effect.

Local voting places for the June 25 balloting will be announced for each county.

The available supply of wheat for the 1955-56 marketing year is 66 per cent above the considered "normal supply."

The secretary must call for marketing quotas when the normal supply exceeds 20 per cent.

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Joe Simpson's Mother Succumbs at Hico

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Simpson and two daughters went to Hico Friday following the death of Mr. Simpson's mother, Mrs. H. H. Simpson, 84-year-old pioneer of Central Texas, who had been ill for several months.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at Hico.

of a tractor at the time the crop is being cultivated and spot spray the Johnson grass with the use of a spray line. The operator who rides usually cannot spray the crowns as thoroughly as the operator who walks.

Two types of hand sprayers are satisfactory for the crown treatment of Johnson grass. They are: (1) Knapsack sprayers equipped with piston type hand pumps; and (2) gravity flow sprayers. Knapsack sprayers cost \$25 to \$30 each. A suitable gravity flow sprayer for use off the operator's back can be constructed for less than \$10.

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Patterson Reports On Convention at Rotary Luncheon

New appreciation of the Rotary Club movement was gained by his attendance several days ago of the international convention de-her reported on the confab at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Chapter No. 460, Order of the Eastern Star, entertained their officers with a dinner and forty-two party at the oil mill guest house.

Attended by more than 1800 Rotarians from all parts of the world, the convention at Chicago, Illinois, theme 50 years of service as the group celebrated their golden anniversary. Outstanding programs of entertainment featured famous actors and dancers and several panoramas with historical backgrounds, Patterson reported.

Besides celebrities of the Rotary movement, other speakers at the convention included Vice President Richard Nixon.

On his return to Hamlin, made in a new automobile, Patterson stopped at Rotary International's office at Evanston, Illinois.

Guests at the Wednesday luncheon included O. T. Higley of Rusk; Ralph E. Wallace of Sweetwater; Jim Etter, Ed Stewart Jr., Lester L. Barry, Hugh M. Hardy and Max Poler of Abilene.

T. C. Robertson Dies Wednesday Of Heart Attack

Death came to T. C. Robertson, 70-year-old retired farmer and Hamlin agent for many years of the daily newspapers. Wednesday morning about 8:00 o'clock at the family residence, 318 West Lake Drive. He had been ill for several weeks, and death was attributed to a heart condition and complications.

Those helping in the school are Sarah June Walker, Jo Goodman, Barbara Durham, Cecilia Albritton, Carolyn Pace, Mrs. J. O. Murphree, Mrs. W. H. Hallmark, Billy Hallmark, Ann Cochran, Mrs. Houston Walker and Mrs. J. H. Howe.

Mrs. W. W. Fletcher and Mrs. I. D. Miller are arranging refreshments for the school.

Commencement exercises will be conducted this (Friday) evening at 8:00 o'clock. Parents of the children and visitors are invited to attend, say church leaders.

Methodist Youths to Attend Abilene Meet

Four young people from the First Methodist Church will next week attend the annual Methodist Youth Fellowship assembly at McMurry College in Abilene. The sessions will open Monday and continue through Saturday.

Delegates named from the First Methodist Church MYF unit are Sara Kay Fomby, Jean Powell, Bobby Beale and Melvin Hames.

A mortgage may be necessary at times, but one's conscience should be kept unencumbered.

The United States should trust all nations but, just to be safe, maintain strong defense forces.

More Society News

Eastern Star Officers Entertained at Dinner And Games Party

Hamlin People Go to Drennan Reunion at Lubbock Last Week

Hamlin residents were among the 58 attendees at the third annual reunion of the J. F. Drennan family, held June 18 and 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Andress at 3008 Thirty-Sixth Street in Lubbock.

The mother, Mrs. J. F. Drennan, was present along with all her living children of seven girls and two boys. The children are Mrs. Douglas Helms of Bellflower, California, Mrs. Willie Goldsmith of Long Beach, California, Dan Drennan of Downey, California, Mrs. Frank Martin and Mrs. Delbert Rountree of Hamlin, Tom Drennan of Abilene, Mrs. W. T. Rogers of Tahoka and Mrs. E. M. Kratzan and Mrs. Earl Andress of Lubbock.

Eighteen grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren also attended the gathering.

Plans were made for another reunion in 1956, to be held in the Earl Andress home again.

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Texas' 1954 Baby Crop Was Biggest on Record, as Stride Made in Live Births

Texas' 1954 baby crop turned out to be the biggest on record, the State Health Department's Bureau of Vital Statistics reported this week.

The 240,209 live births registered for the year was an all-time high rate of 28.4 births for every 1,000 population, bureau statisticians said.

Most of the new babies were boys—104 for every 100 girls—the summary said, but 881 more male babies than female babies died during their first year.

"The attrition against the male sex goes on steadily through infancy, childhood, adolescence, maturity and old age," a statistician commented.

How many mothers of 1954 babies were residents of Texas at the time of blessed event is not yet known, but every one of the babies are bona fide Lone Star citizens by virtue of state law.

While birth rates are soaring to unprecedented high levels, deaths from selected causes were being cut to the lowest points in history.

"Last year saw the total death rate (7.7 per 1,000 population), the infant mortality rate (31.0

per 1,000 live births), the maternal mortality rate (0.6 per 1,000 live births), and the still-birth ratio (17.3 per 1,000 live births) at new all-time lows," the report indicated.

In addition to the reductions posted in infant and maternal deaths, the report said the past two decades have witnessed drastic reductions in deaths from diseases affecting the general population.

Measles is killing 84 per cent fewer from each of typhoid fever, diphtheria, malaria and pellagra last year than in 1934. Scarlet fever rates have been cut by 98 per cent from the rate 20 years ago.

Ninety-six fewer deaths from each of whooping cough and measles are occurring today than occurred in 1934.

Influenza is claiming 90 per cent fewer victims today than it did 20 years ago, while tuberculosis is killing 84 per cent fewer people than the 1934 rate. Syphilis rates have been cut 81 per cent.

Pneumonia, including pneumonia of the new-born, and intestinal disease, including diarrhea of the new-born, are both 66 per cent less of a threat to human life than they were two brief decades ago.

Rainy Season Timely Period to Check Soil Absorption Condition

Grasshoppers continue to be a menace to Jones County crops, according to Bill Lehmburg, county agent, but as long as the rains continue and the pastures stay green, the damage should only be marginal.

Hoppers are more easily controlled when they are small than at any other time, advises the agent in urging early control.

One of the following sprays will give good control: Heptachlor, two pints per acre; deldrin, one pint per acre; BHC, one and one-half to two quarts per acre; aldrin, one-half to one pint per acre; toxaphene, one to two quarts per acre; chlordane, one and one-half to three quarts per acre (for the four-pound chlordane).

For those who prefer to use a bait, sodium fluosilicate poison is available at no charge at the county agent's office. The following mix is recommended: Bran, 25 pounds; filler (sawdust, cottonseed hulls or peanut hulls), 75 pounds; sodium fluosilicate, 16 pounds; and water, 20 to 30 gallons.

This bran bait is very effective against both the jumbo and flying hopper.

Those who plan to get poison at the agent's office should bring their containers, Lehmburg advises.



TIRED BUT HAPPY—Bob Hope (left) shakes hands with Governor Allan Shivers in Austin after they completed their round of exhibition golf. The golf match was played at the Austin Country Club and all proceeds went to the Cerebral Palsy fund. Hope quipped with the governor not to squeeze too hard because he wanted to save his hand for another game. The two teams, captained by Hope and Shivers, ended up even.

Trashy Fields Help to Hold Snow and Other Moisture in Winter

During the rainy season is an opportune time for farm owners and operators to observe the condition of the soil, declare officials of the California Creek Soil Conservation District. Soils in good condition, and reasonably high in organic matter, absorb water more readily, are less likely to pack and run together.

Soils on which water stands for hours, and in some instances days, following a good rain do not permit plant roots to feed deep into the soil. Plants with a shallow root system suffer or burn up more readily during dry weather and produce lower yields, according to E. L. Cowger, Soil Conservation Service technician who is assisting the soil district.

Those soils on which legumes have been, and soils that have had a good crop stubble left on or near the surface, ordinarily remain more open and permit less water to run off. Also less damage is done by winds drying and blowing the soil.

STEPS OF ANY KIND. Wife—"Jock, it's high time we took steps to . . ."

Jock—"Na, lass. Let's not talk of wasting leather."

Despite the generations of those who have viewed with alarm, the world seems to be getting along about as well as one might expect.

Type writer ribbons at Herald.

Wild Cow Milking to Be Feature of Rodeo At Cowboy Reunion

As many Hamlin area attendants will testify, the wild cow milking contest gives laughs as well as thrills to the rodeo crowds at the Texas Cowboy Reunion, dates this year being July 1, 2 and 4.

This event is not as familiar a sight to rodeo goers as are the riding and roping contests, for Stamford is one of the comparatively few shows including the wild cow milking event.

Wild cow milking is unique in one respect—a contestant starts out with an assistant but, if the contestant tries to rope the cow and misses, the other man can then throw his loop and, if he catches the cow, he becomes the contestant, with the other man helping him.

Of course, the task is to milk a struggling, kicking, ornery critter and the milk is not directed into a bucket but a small bottle, and then the milker, on foot, runs to the judge and there must be enough milk to be poured out.

Stubble cuts winds velocity at ground level. Rain goes in the ground that is covered with stubble. Stubble lowers ground temperatures, thereby it lowers evaporation. Bare soil runs a temperature of 140 degrees in the summer. Most hot water heaters are set for 140 degrees, which is steamy hot.

Type writer ribbons at Herald.

Cash Income for Texas Farmers in Gain Over Last Year

While Hamlin area farmers had little part in the increases, Texas farmers' cash income rose four per cent during the January-April period, compared with the same four months of 1954, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Almost all farm commodities contributed to the increase, with wheat showing a 53 per cent gain; oats, 30 per cent; corn, 20 per cent; fruits and vegetables, 20 per cent; mohair, 17 per cent; and peanuts, 16 per cent. Only decreases in the year-to-year comparison were hogs, down 11 per cent; wool, six per cent; and cotton, four per cent.

Farmers found that, although cash income had risen, prices paid for their commodities during April dropped slightly, one per cent, from April, 1954. Livestock and livestock product prices fell six per cent, while food grain prices were down four per cent.

USING DIPLOMACY.

Professor—"Smith, will you tell me why you look at your time-piece so often?"

Smith (suavely)—"Yes, sir. I was afraid, sir, that you wouldn't have time to finish your interesting lecture, sir."

ACCOMPLISHMENT.

Duane, age three years, watched his baby sister in great astonishment as she pulled herself up to a standing position for the first time. Then he rushed excitedly into the next room, calling:

"Oh, mother, come quick! Sister is standing on her hind legs!"



NEW BAR HEAD—Maurice E. Bullock, 41, of Fort Stockton has been elected president of the state bar by 12,000 lawyer members. Bullock is an attorney at Fort Stockton. Results of the mail poll election were announced by President R. N. Gresham of San Antonio.

LOST CAUSE.

After a convivial evening with friends, he was making his weary way home when he ran into a tree. Cautiously he backed off and tried again. Again he collided. Tightening his jaw, he made another attempt, then another.

It was no use. Each time his wobbling feet brought him back up against the tree. Finally he sank to the base of the tree, a dejected huddle.

"Losht, losht, in an impenetrable forest," he muttered.

People who don't realize the value of money seldom have any.

"Slow Down and Live" Is Watchword of Traffic Safety Program Now Underway

E. C. McFadden, president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., this week officially opened the June speed control program which the Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council are conducting this month. "Slow Down and Live" is the watchword of the program.

"One of the greatest traffic hazards of the present day is the impatient driver who refuses to drive at a speed that is safe for conditions," McFadden declared. "Such a driver not only endangers his own life—he's a menace to everyone he meets."

McFadden pointed out that the only intelligent way to drive is to let conditions of weather, traffic road, the mechanical condition of your car and your own physical and mental conditions determine your speed.

"Posted speed limits are maximum limits," he said. "They are safe only when all conditions are favorable."

McFadden gave drivers the following six-point check list as a guide in determining safe speeds:

1. Drive at a speed that will enable you to stop in the assured clear distance ahead.
2. Slow down before you get to curves and intersections.
3. At night drive at the speed which will let you stop within your headlight range.

4. Drive with traffic. You are probably going too fast if you are passing many cars—too slow if many cars are passing you.
5. Where children are playing.

Ten people from Jones County last week attended the annual District III 4-H Club leadership camp at Buffalo Gap.

Delegates from Jones County were Judy Simmons of Anson, Karen Irvin and Delores Hunter of Noddle, Sandra Garrett of Lueders, A. H. and Jimmy Roberts of Anson and Cleveland Garrett of Lueders. Also attending from Jones County were Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent; Alice Kemp, assistant county home demonstration agent in training; and Bill Lehmburg, county agricultural agent.

Purpose of this camp is to train the 4-H Club members so that they can come back to their counties and assist in directing a county camp.

Activities in the camp were citizenship, recreation, safety, camp council and crafts.

HAD GOOD REASON.

The talkative lady was telling her husband about the bad manners of an acquaintance who had recently paid her a visit.

"If that woman yawned once while I was talking to her," she said, "she yawned 11 times."

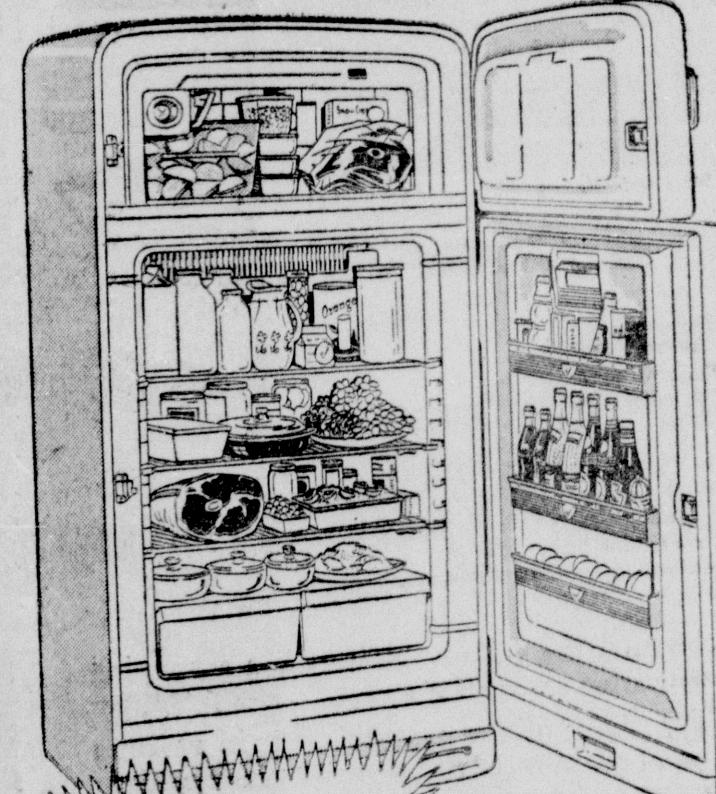
"Perhaps she wasn't yawning dear," the husband said. "Maybe she wanted to say something."

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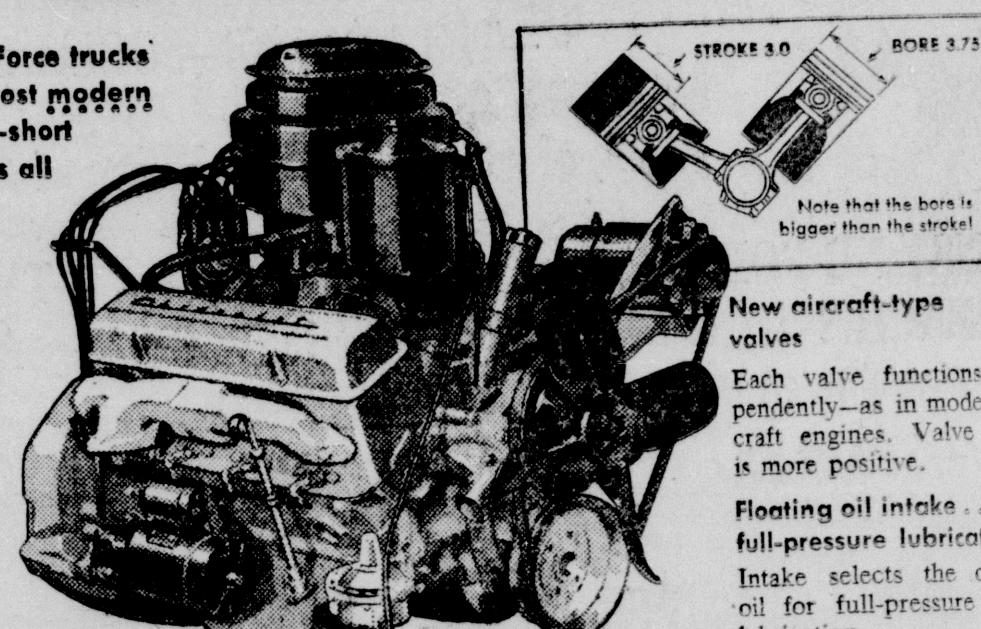
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Junior Boys Will Be in Encampment At Lueders Monday

Numbers of Hamlin area Baptist junior boys will be among the scores from District 17 who will be attending the Junior Royal Ambassador camp at the Lueders Baptist encampment grounds beginning Monday and closing June 30, church leaders advise.

More boys are expected to be in camp this year than last year when 303 junior boys from all over the district were in camp. There were 1,244 enrolled in the five youth camps last season.

Harry Grantz of Carbon is district Royal Ambassador leader. Rev. Harvey Kimbler of Eastland will be camp pastor, and Rev. Frank Edwards, missionary to Nigeria, will be camp missionary.

The campers will stay in cabins and eat at the encampment cafeteria. Rev. Henry Littleton is business manager, and Mrs. Littleton is in charge of the book store.

The daily schedule will include worship service, mission study, handwork, supervised recreation and athletics and swimming. Boys will have an opportunity to advance in rank in the Royal Ambassador organization.

This week the Junior Girls' Auxiliary was in camp from Monday through Thursday, June 20-23. The Sunbeams have a camp Thursday and Friday, June 23-24.

MEDICINE REALLY WORKED

Down in the country it's customary to measure medicine in homespun ways. Not long ago, a small town doctor met the husband of one of his patients on the street.

"How's your wife, Ezra?" he asked. "Did you give her some sleeping powder like I suggested—just as much as you could get on a quarter?"

"Well, doc," answered Ezra, "I didn't have a quarter, so I gave her what I could get on five nickels. That was a week ago, and she's still asleep, and things haven't been so peaceful around our house in years."



CENTRAL TEXAS WELCOME—Near perfect weather and a pretty miss greeted National Democratic Chairman Paul Butler (right) on his arrival in Temple. The young lady is Sue Skelton, whose father, Byron Skelton (left) is chairman of the executive committee of the Texas Democratic Advisory Council who was accompanying Butler. Skelton is a Temple attorney.

J. H. Fry of Anson to Head USO Area Drive

J. H. Fry of Anson has been named as chairman of District 16 on the Texas United Defense Fund, state-wide group which will sponsor USO's campaign for \$640,000 in Texas this year. This district includes Haskell, Jones, Shackelford and Throckmorton counties.

Fry was appointed by C. E. McCutchen, official in the First National Bank at Wichita Falls, who is regional campaign chairman of the forthcoming fund appeal to carry on the familiar services of the USO to the young men and women of the nation's armed forces.

A major portion of the Texas goal, as in 1954 will be included in Community Chest and United Fund campaigns throughout the state this fall.

Veterans Advised of GI Bill Termination

World War II veterans of the Hamlin area training under the original GI bill were reminded this week by the Veterans Administration that July 25, 1956, marks the end of the program for all but a handful of them.

Even though a veteran may still have unused GI training entitlement at that time, or even though he may be in the middle of a course, his GI training payments will come to an end on July 25, 1956.

VA advised World War II trainees to keep the deadline in mind in working out plans for the remainder of their training programs.

Most of the news that you read happens because a reporter was around.

Hamlin People by Score Planning to Attend Reunion

Hamlin area people by the score are making their plans to attend the twenty-fifth annual edition of the Texas Cowboy Reunion this weekend at Stamford are part of their holiday celebration.

"We believe the silver anniversary of the Texas Cowboy Reunion will be the best one yet," says President W. G. Swenson.

Over 500 real cowboys of the present day will compete in the four rodeo performances and several hundred old-time cowboys from a dozen states will be in Stamford for the twenty-fifth annual celebration, Friday, Saturday and Monday, July 1, 2 and 4.

"Goat" Mayo of Iowa Park, who owns a big string of fighting bulls and bucking horses, will provide the stock as he has for almost every year since the rodeo started back in 1930. Will Rogers attended the Cowboy Reunion in 1935 just shortly before he took off on the fatal flight to Alaska. Gene Autry, Paul Whiteman, Wild Bill Elliott, Tex Williams, governors and many celebrities have applauded the cowgirls' sponsors' race (a feature which originated at Stamford), the Brahma bull riding, wild cow milking, magnificent grand entry and the other exciting and colorful features of the rodeo.

There will be a downtown, all-western parade opening day, July 1, at 5:00 p. m., a rodeo all three nights and a matinee on the Fourth. Chuck wagons from famous ranches will serve dinner to the public, and there will be an old-time fiddlers' contest, cutting horse contest, roping for old-timer cowboys and many other events.

FIRST AID GROWING

The American Red Cross inaugurated its first aid service on January 1, 1910. Originally designed to teach first aid to workers in mines and on railroads, it has since expanded to most industries, civic groups and the general public.

Continued Thrip Damage Noted to Cotton of Regin

Continued thrip damage to cotton in the general area around Hamlin is reported in the weekly cotton situation report furnished The Herald by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, cooperating with the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Crops are making good growth in most areas of the state, the report continues. Rain in light to heavy amounts fell over most of the state during the past week, but moisture is needed in parts of the Lower Valley, Coastal Bend, Southwest, West Central, West, North Plains and South Plains areas. Moisture conditions are good in areas not listed above.

Unseasonably cool weather slowed the growth of cotton somewhat during the latter part of the past week, especially young cotton in the northern and western parts of the state. Several areas of the state were buffeted by high winds and thunderstorms with hail in some parts causing damage to crops.

Pink bollworm infestations in bolls have increased slightly in the Lower Valley. Rosette blooms were found in most fields inspected in South Central, Central and East areas and a few fields of the Upper Coastal area.

Boll weevils were reported on the increase in the Lower Valley with many fields in need of control measures.

Thrip damage is decreasing in most fields from the South Central area southward except in a few late planted untreated fields. Thrips were reported damaging cotton in some fields in the Central and Northwest areas. Light to medium infestations were found in the North and South Plains areas with the heaviest infestations in fields near wheat and legume crops.

VISIT IN O'NEAL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Coltharp of Tucumcari, New Mexico, and Mrs. Buddy O'Neal and wee daughter, Lanell, of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal, last week in Hamlin.

DOWN IN THE RUT. A woman who wanted to sing in grand opera asked a German music professor to give her an audition. He played her accompaniment and listened to her a few minutes, but she sang so badly off key that he finally slammed down the piano lid and refused to continue.

"What's the matter?" asked the woman in amazement. "Don't you like my singing?"

"Der trouble mit your singing, madam," said the exasperate maestro, "is dot vedder I play oder vite keys or on der black vuns you sing all the time in de cracks!"

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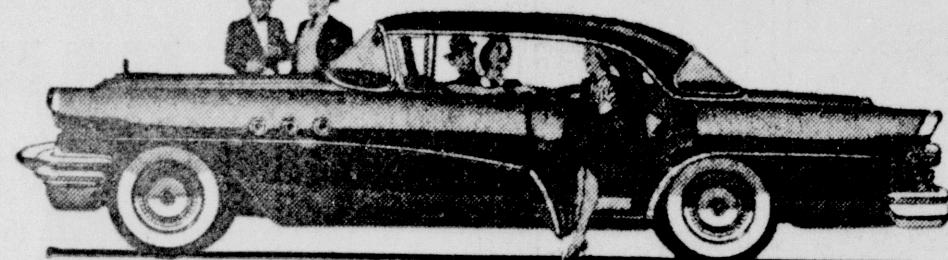
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State Capitol NEWS

By Vern Sanford, Manager,
Texas Press Association.

State Draft Quota For June Slightly More Than for May

candidates for governor on the liberal ticket basked in the photographer's flash-bulb limelight.

At Dallas, Supreme Court Associate Justice Will Wilson appeared in his former home city as master of ceremonies at the Butler's over 1,000 liberalists.

John C. White, commissioner of agriculture, sat at the head table.

Ralph Yarborough of Austin, strongly rumored as ready for a third try as the governor candidate of the liberals, started out with Butler at Lubbock and showed up at nearly all his meetings.

And Senator Jimmie Phillips of Angleton showed up at a Waco rally for Butler.

Present also were several other visitors who are prospective candidates for governor—and half a dozen House members.

Butler's Houston appearance was before the state convention of the Young Democratic Clubs. Virtually all the potential candidates for governor on the liberal ticket showed up there, too.

White delivered the keynote address at the opening business session and Yarborough also spoke.

A 95-page audit documenting investigations of irregularities in the Veterans Land Board has been released by State Auditor C. H. Cavness.

Cavness emphasized throughout his report the need for additional field supervisors and investigators . . . who can check continually to prevent irregularities in the \$1,000,000 loan program.

The audit covered the period from September 1, 1951, to January 4, 1955 (the last day Bascom Giles was commissioner of the general land office and chairman of the Veterans Land Board).

After winding up its sixth week of investigation before Justice of the Peace Travis Blakeslee in Austin, the court of inquiry into overall operations of the general land office moved to Corpus Christi.

Twenty land office geological inspectors stationed in Corpus Christi will be questioned there this week.

Unusually favorable moisture conditions throughout Texas have brightened the crop outlook considerably, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Feed crops have made good development, according to USDA reports. Corn prospects are especially promising. Cotton prospects are "very promising."

Rains in scattered areas of Central, Eastern and Northern Texas interrupted the harvesting of commercial vegetables, tomatoes in Central Texas and onions in North Texas.

Crops larger than last year are predicted for cantaloupes, onions, potatoes and watermelons.

William L. McGill, director of the state's civil defense organization, reports Texas' 1955 "alert" successful and highly realistic.

Had it been the real thing, Civil Defense Coordinator R. E. Dyson said there would have been no casualties in Fort Worth, but more than one-fourth of Houston's population would have been wiped out. Lubbock would have been a victim. El Paso would have been saved. Also Bergstrom Air Force Base near Austin.

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Many friends remembered us so thoughtfully in the passing of Mrs. H. H. Simpson last weekend, and we are so grateful for the words of sympathy, flowers, telegrams and letters, and food that was supplied by neighbors on our return home. We shall ever hold dear these expressions from you.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Simpson and daughters.

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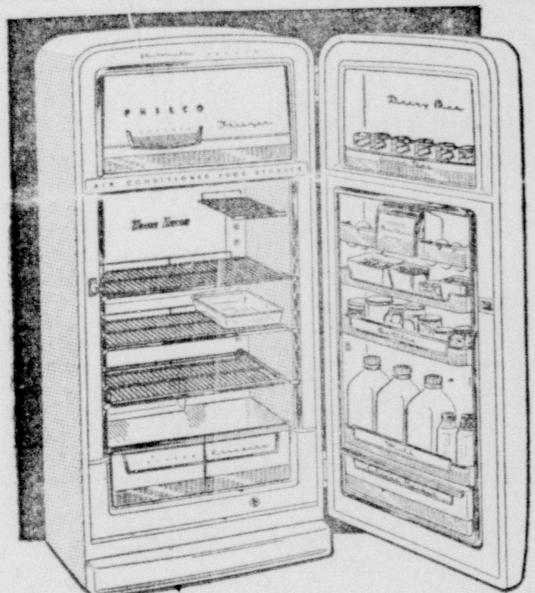
Automation is suddenly in everyone's vocabulary. Translated in terms of a man's work, it means being replaced by machine, points out Congressman Omar Burleson in his weekly release. "Washington: As It Looks from Here." His article continues:

Many people have thought in the past that their jobs would be taken over by a machine, and in fact, many have been. On the other hand, it seems when a machine takes over a job it has a tendency to create work for not only the person displaced, but for others also.

I suppose what most of us are looking for is a machine which will do all of our work and leave us idle entirely. Of course, we will want to be paid while we are idle. In fact, that seems to be the attitude of a great many people—past, present and doubtless it will be in the future.

While most everyone has been looking the other way, three South American nations have welded themselves together in economic unity. Chile, Bolivia and Argentina are now linked by

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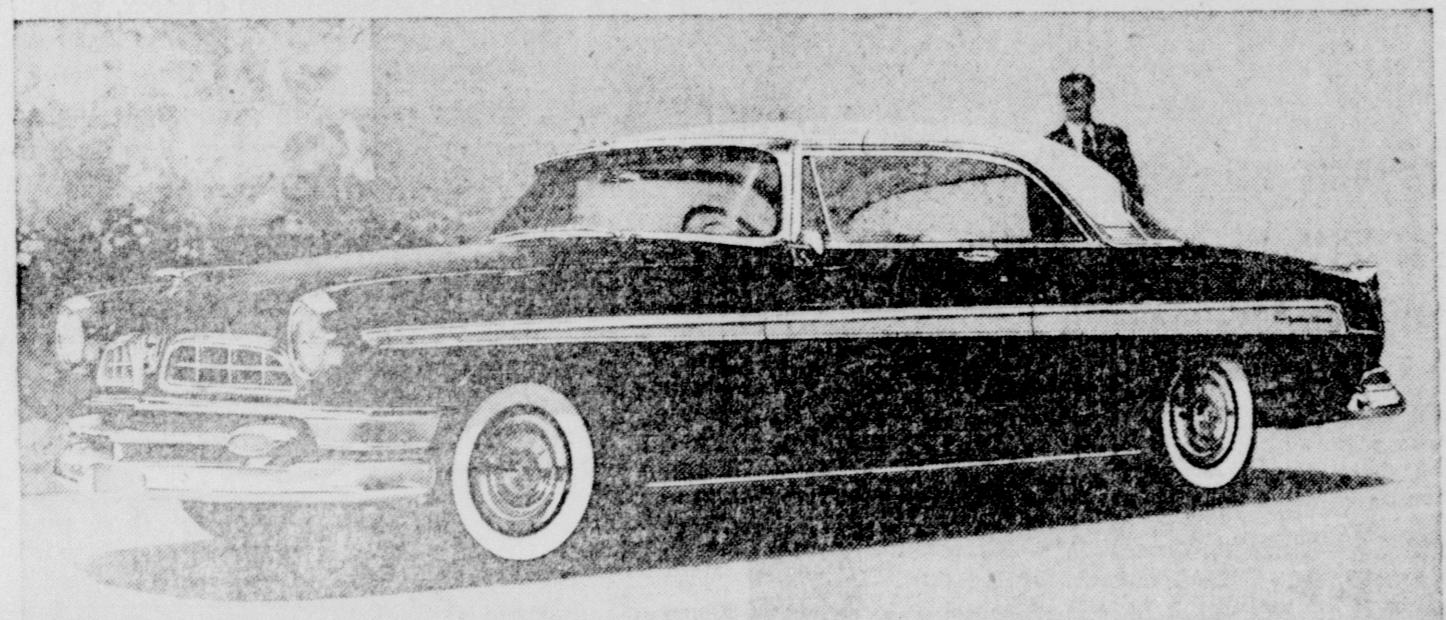
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FARM HOME OF MRS. DAVE HERBST southeast of Hamlin (above) printed in last week's Herald was first correctly identified by Mrs. Wayne Hodnett, resident of that part of the county. The 160-acre farm, being worked by M. F. Holmes, is devoted to the growing of row crops. The Herbsts purchased the place in 1919 from Lee Littleton, and they occupied the place until 1951. The place is six miles southeast of town.

15 from Hamlin Go to GA Camp Sessions

Eleven girls and two sponsors from the First Baptist Church attended the Baptist encampment at Lueders this week for the Junior Girls' Auxiliary. The camp is district-wide and covers several nearby counties.

Rev. Byron Bryant, pastor of Stamford's First Baptist Church, was the camp pastor.

Those attending from the Hamlin church were Mrs. Troy Austin and Mrs. Zula Bryson; and Beth Cochran, Sarah Snapp, Lillie Sue Austin, Georgeanna Fitzgerald, Nancy Carter, Gerri Brewer, DeGwen Sanderlin, Elsie Walker, Sharon Walker, Hollyn Bryson and Dottie Albritton.

Careful driving pays dividends—not to the other fellow, but to you.

Mrs. Wayne Hodnett was the first to correctly identify last week's mystery farm picture in The Herald, and she will receive a one-year subscription to Your Home Town Paper.

The place was one belonging to Mrs. Dave Herbst, five miles southeast of Hamlin. Occupying the place as a tenant is the M. F. Holmes family.

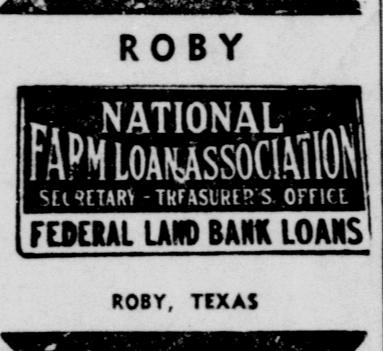
Mr. and Mrs. Herbst purchased the place in December, 1919 from Lee Littleton. The farm's 160 acres have been devoted to the growing of row crops, principally cotton and feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbst, who were married January 26, 1913, moved to the place in 1920 and remained there until Mr. Herbst's death in October, 1951. She was the former Earl Shields.

The present house on the place was erected by the Herbsts in 1934.

Mrs. Herbst, who is active in activities at the First Baptist Church, now resides in Hamlin. She has no children.

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